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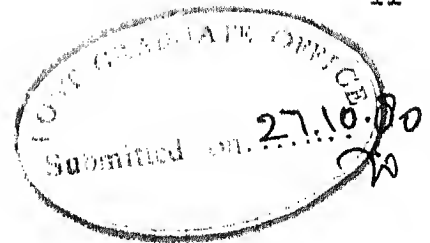*By*

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ABSTRACT

This thesis considers the design and performance of adaptive radar receivers in the presence of clutter with slowly time varying statistics.

An optimum radar receiver for detecting a Swerling 1 target in the presence of clutter is derived. Considering the complexity involved in the implementation of such a receiver in a changing clutter environment, two suboptimum receivers are proposed and expressions for their probability of detection performance are derived. These receivers are adaptive in that the slowly time varying clutter statistics are taken into account through the maximum entropy method of spectral analysis of the received signal.

Simulation results show that the first of these receivers, termed the Structured Optimum Receiver, can operate satisfactorily with as few as 16 hits per scan. The performance of this receiver which is always superior to that of the conventional matched filter receiver is compared with that achievable with a received signal without clutter. In the wide range of situations considered, the degradation in performance is small except for low target Doppler shifts and large clutter spectral widths.

The second receiver, termed the Structured Receiver, can easily be implemented relative to the structured optimum receiver particularly if noncoherent detection is employed. The performance of this receiver under both coherent and noncoherent detection modes is compared with that of a moving target indicator (MTI) receiver.

CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Background and Previous Related Work

In radar systems, the receiver's ability to detect target echoes is limited not only by additive thermal noise but also by another type of interference called clutter. Clutter is defined as a conglomeration of unwanted radar echoes and arises from the back scattering of electromagnetic energy from possibly extended and fluctuating reflectors. Clutter signals differ from thermal noise in that they are caused by the radar's own transmission. Also what constitute clutter producing reflectors clearly depends on which class of targets a particular radar is intended to detect. In general, clutter signals are statistical in nature and the statistical modelling of radar returns from ground, sea etc. have been the subject of many publications [1-5]. Although several models have been proposed, none can be considered to adequately explain the observed returns. In a clutter model [5] most often used for theoretical analysis, the complex envelope of the clutter signal is considered to be a sample function of a zero-mean complex Gaussian random process. Under wide-sense stationarity and uncorrelated scattering assumptions, the statistics of clutter may then be described by an associated scattering function which

gives a measure of the distribution of the returned clutter energy in the delay-Doppler domain [5]. Although, in practice, these statistics change with time, they may be modelled as quasi time-invariant.

Radar targets are also modelled statistically and various target models have been proposed for different situations by Marcum [6-7], Swerling [8-9], Weinstock [10] and Mitchell [11]. In these models, the radar cross-section of a target is treated as a random variable. The various models differ in their prescription of the probability density function and fluctuation rate of the radar cross-section of the target. For example, the radar cross-section of a Swerling 1 target model is slowly fluctuating and has an exponential density function.

In most of the previous related work on the design of radar receivers for clutter rejection, it has been assumed that the statistics of clutter are a priori known. Also, in addition to receiver design alone, considerable emphasis has been placed on the choice of the transmitted waveform and joint transmitter/ receiver design. In fact, receiver design is very closely linked to signal (or transmitter) design.

There are three principal approaches [5] to the design of receivers for processing of radar echoes in the combined presence of clutter and thermal noise. The first

approach is to find the optimum receiver (optimum in terms of a certain specified performance criterion) for a given clutter scattering function. However, finding this optimum receiver for any arbitrary clutter scattering function is extremely difficult. Moreover, the optimum receiver may turn out to be too complicated to be realised in practice.

Another approach is to design a conventional matched filter receiver assuming that only white thermal noise is present. The degradation in performance due to clutter is then minimised by signal design. For any given clutter scattering function, this consists of minimising the common volume of the scattering function and the shifted signal ambiguity function in the delay-Doppler plane. The best signal will depend on the target's location in the delay-Doppler plane as well as on the scattering function of clutter. In general, receivers designed using this approach are suboptimum in performance.

The third approach is to structure the receiver- so that it is implementable - and then, within the constraints imposed by that structure, optimise the performance of such a receiver. In general, the performance of such a receiver will also be suboptimum. However, this structured approach is attractive as it permits design of a receiver that works better than the conventional matched filter receiver (second approach), but can be constrained to

be less complicated than the optimum receiver. In addition
to receiver optimisation using the structured approach,
joint transmitter/receiver optimisation can be done for a
class of transmitter signals/receivers.

The design of optimum receivers for clutter
rejection were first investigated by Urkowitz [12] and
Manasse [13]. Both assumed a range invariant scattering
function with a Doppler spread which was small compared
to the signal bandwidth. Urkowitz ignored thermal noise
and proposed the inverse filter for clutter rejection.
Manasse considered the presence of thermal noise and
showed the dependence of the signal to interference (thermal
noise plus clutter) ratio at the output of the receiver
on the signal bandwidth. He found the best signal to be a
wideband signal. Westerfield et.al. [14] considered the
approach of designing a conventional matched filter, and
then optimising its performance in the presence of clutter
by signal design. Stutt and Spafford [15] proposed a 'best'
mismatched filter or receiver where the signal to clutter ratio
is maximised. Rummler [16], Spafford [17], Delong and
Hofstetter [18] also investigated the signal and receiver
design problem for a slowly fluctuating point target
assuming that the scattering function of clutter is
a priori known. Most of these investigations were carried

out for a class of transmitter signals/receivers. Delong
and Hofstetter [18] and Spafford[17] also proposed steps for
joint optimisation of both the transmitter signal and the
receiver for a class of transmitter signals/receivers. More
related work on the design of radar receivers and transmitter
signals can be found in [19-25].

However, in most practical radar systems, because
of lack of knowledge of the statistics of clutter, the
moving target indicator (MTI) receiver is used to
distinguish moving targets in clutter. MTI receivers are
simple to implement and are based on the reasoning that
ground and sea clutter returns have a very small Doppler
spread and can be filtered out or cancelled in delay line
cancellers. MTI receivers are obviously suboptimum and
their design ignores the presence of thermal noise. A
variation of the MTI called the moving target detector
(MTD) has been developed at the Massachusetts Institute
of Technology [26-27]. In the MTD, fast Fourier transform
(FFT) techniques are used to estimate the spectrum of the
received signal and filter out clutter returns.

In this thesis, an optimum radar receiver for
detecting a Swerling 1 target in the presence of clutter
is obtained and it is found that implementing this
receiver in a changing clutter environment is extremely
difficult. In view of this, this thesis primarily deals

with the design and study of two adaptive structured radar
receivers for the detection of a Swerling 1 target in the
presence of clutter.   These receivers are adaptive in the
sense that their parameters are   adjusted or updated
in response to changes in the statistics of clutter.   The
quasi time-invariant nature of the statistics of clutter
is taken into account through the maximum entropy method of
spectral analysis of the received signal during those scans
when there is no target or a decision to that effect is
made.

1.2 Organisation of the Thesis

This thesis is organised as follows.   In this thesis
the various bandpass signals, systems and random processes
are described in terms of complex envelope notation [5].

In Chapter 2, the radar target detection problem
in the presence of clutter is posed as a hypothesis testing
problem.   Various target models in the context of pulsed
radars are considered.   The complex envelope of the clutter
signal is modelled as a zero-mean complex Gaussian random
process.   Some of the receiver structures obtained in later
chapters as solutions to the target detection problem posed
in this chapter, require spectral estimators as subsystems
in order to be adaptive to the changing clutter environment.
As the maximum entropy method (MEM) of spectral estimation

is most non-committal in its processing of the observations
made, we have considered it appropriate to use the MEM for
estimation of the required statistics of clutter. Accordingly,
in Chapter 2, the MEM of spectral analysis of a stationary
time series is briefly reviewed.

In Chapter 3, the optimum receiver for Swerling 1
target models and expressions for its performance are
derived.   It is found that optimum receivers which
continually estimate the required clutter statistics and
then update their parameters are difficult to implement
with present day technology. In view of this, suboptimum
receivers which are simpler to implement and whose parameters
can be determined adaptively using the MEM, are proposed and
evaluated in Chapters 4 and 5.

In Chapter 4, a structure is imposed on the
receiver and within the constraints imposed by that
structure, an optimum receiver is obtained for Swerling
1 target models. Expressions for the performance of such
a receiver, termed Structured Optimum Receiver, are
derived.   A study is made of how the MEM can be used to
estimate the required statistics of clutter during those
scans when no target is present in the range bin of interest,
thereby enabling the parameters of the structured optimum
receiver to be determined adaptively. The performance of
such a receiver is evaluated by computer simulation and

numerical computation for both the cases when the required clutter statistics are a priori known and when the MEM is used to estimate the required statistics of clutter. These performances are compared with the performance of a conventional matched filter receiver. A large number of receiver operating characteristic (ROC) graphs indicating the performance of the structured optimum receiver for varying conditions of clutter power, clutter spectral width, target Doppler shift etc. are including in this chapter.

In Chapter 5, an adaptive suboptimum receiver, termed Structured Receiver, which in many instances is simpler to implement than the structured optimum receiver, is proposed. This receiver is based on interpreting MEM as an attempt to determine the structure of a whitening filter for a time series. This chapter also discusses how the structured receiver can be used for both coherent and noncoherent detection. Expressions for the performance of structured receivers for both coherent and non-coherent detection modes are derived. The performance of these receivers are evaluated by computer simulation and numerical computation and compared with the performance of a double delay line canceller MTI receiver. Again a large number of ROC graphs indicating the performance of these structured receivers for varying conditions of clutter power, target Doppler shift, clutter spectral width etc. are included in this chapter.

Chapter 6 concludes the thesis with some suggestions for future work.

Appendix A describes the computer simulation scheme used in the performance evaluation of the structured optimum and structured receivers. Appendix B gives a listing of the main program and the subroutines used in the performance evaluation of the structured optimum, structured, matched filter and MTI receivers.

CHAPTER 2

THE RADAR DETECTION PROBLEM AND A REVIEW OF THE
MAXIMUM ENTROPY METHOD OF SPECTRAL ANALYSIS

The first part of this chapter formulates the radar
target detection problem in the presence of clutter and
thermal noise.   Section 2.1 considers the radar detection
problem as a binary hypothesis testing problem.   Section 2.2
enumerates various target models in the context of pulsed
radars.   This is followed by a discussion on the modelling
of clutter in Section 2.3.   The pulsed radar detection problem
is stated   in mathematical terms in Section 2.4.

Some of the receiver structures obtained in later
chapters as solutions to the radar detection problem posed
here, require spectral estimators as subsystems.   As
maximum entropy method (MEM) of spectral analysis is most
non-committal in its processing of the observations made,
we have considered it appropriate to use the MEM for
estimation of clutter spectra.   Accordingly, in the second
part of this chapter, we briefly review the maximum
entropy method of spectral analysis of a stationary time
series.

2.1 Detection as a Hypothesis Testing Problem

A radar target detection problem may be posed as
a binary hypothesis testing problem, which may be stated

as one of finding a decision function of the observations

$$R(t) = R_1(t) \qquad T_i \leq t \leq T_f \qquad : H_1$$

$$R(t) = R_0(t) \qquad T_i \leq t \leq T_f \qquad : H_0$$

which optimises a specified criterion of performance. $R_1(t)$ contains both signal and noise while $R_0(t)$ contains only noise. The nature of assumptions made concerning the statistical information of the received waveforms on hypotheses H_1 and H_0 determines the complexity of the decision function in respect of cost, ease of implementation, sensitivity to small changes in the assumed apriori information and performance. In radar it is difficult to assign a priori probabilities for the occurrence of H_1 or H_0, nor is it possible to assign realistic cost functions for the decisions made. Therefore the Neyman-Pearson criterion is most often used in arriving at a decision function. This criterion maximises the probability of detection of a target (P_D) subject to the constraint that the probability of false alarm (P_F) is equal to or less than a certain prespecified number. It can be shown [28-30] that this criterion leads to the likelihood ratio test as the optimum test. This test is defined by

$$\frac{p_{R/H_1}(R/H_1)}{p_{R/H_0}(R/H_0)} = \Lambda(R) \underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} \lambda \qquad (2.1)$$

where $p_{R/H_1}(R/H_1)$ and $p_{R/H_0}(R/H_0)$ are the multidimensional

conditional probability density functions of the observations given that H_1 and H_0 are true respectively. $\Lambda(R)$ is the likelihood ratio and λ is the threshold for comparison.

Thus the optimum receiver processes the observations to find the likelihood ratio $\Lambda(R)$ and then compares $\Lambda(R)$ with a threshold in order to make a decision. If we denote the probability density function of Λ when H_0 is true as $p_{\Lambda/H_0}(\Lambda/H_0)$, and when H_1 is true as $p_{\Lambda/H_1}(\Lambda/H_1)$, then

$$P_F = \int_\lambda^\infty p_{\Lambda/H_0}(\Lambda/H_0)\,d\Lambda \quad \text{and} \quad P_D = \int_\lambda^\infty p_{\Lambda/H_1}(\Lambda/H_1)\,d\Lambda \quad (2.2)$$

The threshold λ is obtained by setting P_F equal to the maximum permissible value of false alarm probability and solving (2.2).

2.2 Target Models for Pulsed Radars

Numerous target models have been proposed for different situations [6-11]. Marcum [6] assumed that the target can be modelled as a nonfluctuating or constant reflector. However, in general, the radar cross-section of a target is a statistical variable. Swerling in his classic paper [8] proposed four different models of target fluctuation. These four fluctuation models are commonly referred to as Swerling 1, 2, 3 and 4 models respectively. They are as follows:

Swerling 1 model

The amplitude of the entire reflected pulse sequence from the target during a particular scan is a single random variable with a Rayleigh density function. In addition, there will be phase coherence between the various pulses in the returned sequence except that the initial phase of the sequence will be a statistically independent random variable uniformly distributed over 2π radians. The density function for the target cross-section (σ) will therefore be given by

$$p(\sigma) = \frac{1}{\bar{\sigma}} \exp(-\sigma/\bar{\sigma}) \qquad (\sigma \geq 0) \qquad (2.3)$$

where $\bar{\sigma}$ is the average cross-section. In complex envelope notation, the complex envelope of the entire pulse sequence is multiplied by a single-zero-mean complex Gaussian random variable as it gets reflected from the target. However, the complex multipliers in different scans are statistically independent. This type of fluctuation is called scan to scan fluctuation.

Swerling 2 model

Here the amplitude of each reflected pulse in the sequence is a different statistically independent Rayleigh distributed random variable. In addition, the initial phase of each pulse will be a different statistically independent uniformly distributed random variable. The density function for the target cross-section is again

given by (2.3). In complex envelope notation, the complex
envelope of each pulse in the sequence is multiplied by
different statistically independent zero-mean complex
Gaussian random variables as the sequence gets reflected
from the target. This type of fluctuation is called pulse
to pulse fluctuation.

Swerling 3 model

This is scan to scan fluctuation and the density
function for the target cross-section (σ) is given by

$$p(\sigma) = \frac{4\sigma}{\bar{\sigma}^2} \exp(-2\sigma/\bar{\sigma}) \qquad (\sigma \geq 0) \qquad (2.4)$$

Swerling 4 model

This is pulse to pulse fluctuation and the density
function for the target cross-section is given by (2.4).

It would be well to indicate in which situations the
various models may apply. The density function given in (2.3)
is observed when the target consists of many independent
scattering elements, of which no single one predominates.
Most available observational data on aircraft targets
indicate agreement with the exponential density. The
density function given in (2.4) corresponds to that of
a target having one main scattering element that predominates,
together with many smaller independent elements. One such
target may be a spherical satellite with extensions. The
scan to scan fluctuation model would apply to targets such

as jet aircrafts or missiles,or for radars having a fairly
high pulse repetition rate. The pulse to pulse fluctuation
model would apply to propeller driven aircrafts if the
propellers contribute a large portion of the echoing area,or
for radars having a low pulse repetition rate.

The above four fluctuation models of Swerling have
been found to bracket a wide range of practical cases,
particularly for aircraft targets. In 1970, Swerling [9]
extended his original models to cover more cases of interest
by considering three families of radar cross-section models;
the chi-square family, the Rice family and the log-normal
family.

In this thesis, however, only Swerling 1 target models
are considered. Also the targets are assumed to be small
compared to the radar resolution cell, that is, they are
point targets.

2.3 Modelling of Clutter Returns

In this thesis, it is assumed that ground, sea and
weather returns constitute clutter. The statistical modelling
of ground and sea returns have been the subject of many
publications [1-5, 31,32,33] and although several models
exist none can be considered to adequately explain observed
returns. The clutter model [5] most often used for theoretical
analysis is that of a large number of independent scatterers,

with no single one predominating, within the radar resolution
cell.   The phases of the returns from each scatterer are
assumed to be random and uniformly distributed over 2π radians.
Also each phase angle is statistically independent of the
other.   In general, clutter producing targets or clutter
targets are extended fluctuating targets.   More specifically,
let $\sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{f}(t)$ be the complex envelope of the transmitted signal.
The reflected signal from any range interval (λ, $\lambda + d\lambda$) will
be the superposition of a large number of reflections with
random phases.   If the phases are statistically independent
and none of the scatterers predominate, central limit theorem
based arguments can be used to characterise the reflection
coefficient as a zero-mean complex Gaussian random variable.
If the orientation and composition of the reflectors change
with time, the   reflection coefficient must be modelled as
a random process.   The reflected signal from any range interval
(λ , $\lambda + d\lambda$) can be written as

$$\tilde{n}_c(t, \lambda) = \sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{f}(t - \lambda)\ \tilde{b}(t - \frac{\lambda}{2}, \lambda)\ d\lambda \qquad (2.5)$$

where $\tilde{b}(t, \lambda)$ is a zero-mean complex Gaussian process whose
independent variables are both time and space.   The return
from the entire extended target is a superposition of the
returns from the incremental intervals and is given by

$$\tilde{n}_c(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{f}(t - \lambda)\ \tilde{b}(t - \frac{\lambda}{2}, \lambda)\ d\lambda \qquad (2.6)$$

The complex envelope of the clutter return $\tilde{n}_c(t)$ is a sample

function of a zero-mean complex Gaussian process. It can be
seen that the covariance function of $\tilde{n}_c(t)$ is signal dependent.
Under the assumptions of uncorrelated scattering from different
range intervals and wide sense stationarity of $\tilde{b}(t, \lambda)$, the
covariance function of $\tilde{b}(t, \lambda)$ can be written as

$$E[\tilde{b}(t,\lambda)\,\tilde{b}^*(u,\lambda_1)] = \tilde{K}_{DR}(t-u,\lambda)\,\delta(t-\lambda_1) \qquad (2.7)$$

where $\delta(t)$ denotes a unit impulse function and
$E[\,.\,]$ denotes an ensemble average. In actual practice
$\tilde{b}(t,\lambda)$ will not be wide sense stationary. However, assuming
$\tilde{b}(t,\lambda)$ to be wide sense stationary over a short interval of
time or over several scans is realistic enough.

Assuming that the clutter extends from zero range to
range LT seconds, (2.6) can be written as

$$\tilde{n}_c(t) = \int_0^{LT} \sqrt{E_t}\;\tilde{f}(t-\lambda)\,\tilde{b}(t-\frac{\lambda}{2},\lambda)\,d\lambda \qquad (2.8)$$

Now assume that the complex envelope of the transmitted signal
is bandlimited to $W_S/2$ around its carrier frequency, or

$$\tilde{F}(f) = 0 \qquad \text{for } |f| > W_S/2 \qquad (2.9)$$

where $\tilde{F}(f)$ is the Fourier transform of $\tilde{f}(t)$.

Also let $T = \frac{1}{W}$ where $W \geq W_S$. The criterion for
choosing T will be explained later.

Following Kailath [34] and Van Trees [5] the
clutter return $\tilde{n}_c(t)$ in (2.8) can be written as the output
of a tapped-delay line filter with taps spaced T seconds
apart, when the input to the filter is $\tilde{f}(t)$. Or

$$\tilde{n}_c(t) = \sum_{k=0}^{L} \sqrt{E_\ell}\; \tilde{b}_k(t)\; f(t-kT) \tag{2.10}$$

The tap gains $\tilde{b}_k(t)$'s are zero-mean complex Gaussian random processes and if $\tilde{K}_{DR}(t-u, \lambda)$ in (2.7) is essentially constant with respect to λ over an interval T seconds long, then

$$E[\tilde{b}_k(t)\; \tilde{b}_\ell^*(u)] = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{T}\; \tilde{K}_{DR}(t-u, kT)\;, & k = \ell \\ \\ 0 & ,\quad k \neq \ell \end{bmatrix} \tag{2.11}$$

In the case of moving weather clutter, the clutter return will be centered around a mean Doppler frequency. If ω_{WT} is the mean Doppler frequency shift of the returned signal due to the motion of weather, then using the above arguments, the complex envelope of the clutter signal is given by

$$\tilde{n}_c(t) = \sum_{k=0}^{L} \sqrt{E_\ell}\, \tilde{b}_k(t)\, \exp(j\omega_{WT}\, t)\, \tilde{f}(t-kT) \tag{2.12}$$

In this thesis (2.10) will be used to represent the complex envelope of the returned clutter signal. However, (2.12) could also have been used to represent the complex envelope of the returned clutter signal.

2.4 Mathematical Statement of the Problem

Let the transmitted signal be given by

$$S_t(t) = \sqrt{2}\; \text{Re}[\sqrt{E_t}\; \tilde{f}(t)\; \exp(j\omega_c t)] \tag{2.13}$$

where ω_c is the carrier frequency and $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(t)|^2\, dt = 1$. E_t is the energy in the signal. When a target is at range $R(t)$ and moving inwards with velocity V ($R(t) = R_0 - Vt$), the

received signal from the target is given by

$$S_r(t) = \sqrt{2}\ \text{Re}[\sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{B}\ \tilde{f}(t - \tau(t))\ \exp[j\omega_c(t-\tau(t))]\ ] \quad (2.14)$$

where $\tau(t)$ is the round trip delay time. $\tilde{B}$ is a zero-mean complex Gaussian random variable if a Swerling 1 or Swerling 2 target is assumed. A signal received at time t would have been reflected from the target at time $(t - (\tau(t)/2))$. At that time the target range would be

$$R(t - \frac{\tau(t)}{2}) = R_o - V(t - \frac{\tau(t)}{2}) \quad (2.15)$$

By definition

$$\tau(t) = \frac{2R(\ t - \frac{\tau(t)}{2})}{c} \quad (2.16)$$

where c is the velocity of light.

Substituting (2.16) in (2.15) and solving for $\tau(t)$ we obtain

$$\tau(t) = \frac{2R_o/c}{1+ V/c} - \frac{2(V/c)t}{1+ V/c} \quad (2.17)$$

For target velocities of interest, $V/c \ll 1$. Then

$$\tau(t) = 2(R_o/c) - 2(V/c)t \quad (2.18)$$

Let $\tau_d = 2R_o/c$ be the nominal range delay. The received signal is given by

$$S_r(t) = \sqrt{2}\ \text{Re}[\sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{B}\ \tilde{f}(t - \tau_d + \frac{2V}{c}t)\exp[j\omega_c(t+ \frac{2V}{c}t-\tau_d)]]$$
$$(2.19)$$

If $W_S T_0 \ll \frac{c}{2V}$, where W_S is the bandwidth of $\tilde{f}(t)$ and T_0 is the duration of $\tilde{f}(t)$, we can ignore the compression or stretching of the time scale of the complex envelope. The Doppler frequency shift is given by

$$\omega_D = \omega_c(2V/c) \qquad (2.20)$$

Absorbing the $\exp(-j\omega_c\tau_d)$ phase term in the phase of $\tilde{B}$, the received signal is given by

$$S_r(t) = \sqrt{2}\ \text{Re}[\sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{B}\ \tilde{f}(t-\tau_d)\ \exp(j\omega_c t + j\omega_D t)] \quad (2.21)$$

The complex envelope of the received signal $\{\tilde{S}_r(t)\}$ from a target at nominal range delay τ_d is given by

$$\tilde{S}_r(t) = \sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{B}\ \tilde{f}(t-\tau_d)\ \exp(j\omega_D t) \qquad (2.22)$$

If $E[\ |\tilde{B}|^2] = 2\sigma_B^2$, the expected value of the received signal energy is equal to $2E_t\sigma_B^2$. The additive receiver thermal noise $w(t)$ will be modelled as a zero-mean bandpass white Gaussian process[.5]. It can be represented as

$$w(t) = \sqrt{2}\ \text{Re}[\tilde{w}(t)\ \exp(j\omega_c t)] \qquad (2.23)$$

where ω_c is the carrier frequency and $\tilde{w}(t)$ is the complex envelope and is a zero-mean complex Gaussian process. If the bandwidth of $w(t)$ is larger than the other bandwidths in the system of interest, $\tilde{w}(t)$ can be represented as a complex white noise process.

Let $\tilde{r}(t)$ be the complex envelope of the received signal in the presence of clutter and thermal noise.

Using the notation developed in the earlier sections, the radar detection problem — to detect a target at range delay τ_d and Doppler ω_d in the presence of clutter and thermal noise — can now be stated as the following binary hypothesis testing problem:

$$\tilde{r}(t) = \tilde{S}_r(t) + \tilde{n}_c(t) + \tilde{w}(t) \qquad : H_1$$
$$\tilde{r}(t) = \qquad\qquad \tilde{n}_c(t) + \tilde{w}(t) \qquad : H_0 \qquad T_i \leq t \leq T_f \qquad (2.24)$$

Substituting for $\tilde{S}_r(t)$ from (2.22) and for $\tilde{n}_c(t)$ from (2.10) we get,

$$\tilde{r}(t) = \sqrt{E_t}\; \tilde{B}\; \tilde{f}(t-\tau_d)\, \exp(j\omega_D t) + \sqrt{E_t} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_k(t)\tilde{f}(t-kT)$$
$$+ \tilde{w}(t) \qquad\qquad : H_1$$

$$\tilde{r}(t) = \qquad\qquad\qquad \sqrt{E_t} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_k(t)\tilde{f}(t-kT)$$
$$+ \tilde{w}(t) \qquad\qquad : H_0$$

$$T_i \leq t \leq T_f$$

Also

$$E[\tilde{B}] = E[\tilde{b}_k(t)] = E[\tilde{w}(t)] = 0, \quad E[\tilde{w}(t)\tilde{w}^*(u)] = N_0\delta(t-u)$$

$$E[|\tilde{B}|^2] = 2\sigma_B^2, \quad E[\tilde{b}_k(t)\tilde{b}_\ell^*(u)] = \begin{cases} T\,\tilde{K}_{DR}(t-u,\, kT), & k = \ell \\ 0, & k \neq \ell \end{cases}$$

$$-\infty < t, u < \infty$$

$$(2.25)$$

This hypothesis testing problem will now be modified in the following way:

In a particular scan let M. $\tilde{f}(t)$, waveforms or pulses be transmitted with a repetition rate of $1/T_p$. Let $T_p \gg T_0$ where T_0 is the duration of $f(t)$. We assume that the $\tilde{b}_k(t)$'s are so narrow band that during the time a pulse $- \tilde{f}(t) -$ is illuminating it, the $\tilde{b}_k(t)$'s are random variables. This means the sample functions of $\tilde{b}_k(t)$'s are so slowly varying that during the time a pulse is being reflected (T_0 seconds), $\tilde{b}_k(t) \approx \tilde{b}_k$. However, when M pulses are being transmitted during a particular scan, for each pulse, the $\tilde{b}_k(t)$'s may be different random variables. For example, for the first $\tilde{f}(t)$, $\tilde{b}_k(t) \approx \tilde{b}_{ko}$, for the second pulse in the pulse train $\tilde{f}(t-T_p)$, $\tilde{b}_k(t) \approx \tilde{b}_{k1}$ and so on. It essentially means that the reflection coefficient $\tilde{b}(t- \frac{\lambda}{2}, \lambda)$ in any given range interval $(\lambda, \lambda + d\lambda)$ will be a random variable for the duration T_0 when the waveform $\tilde{f}(t)$ is being reflected from that interval. In the context of pulsed radars, and ground, sea and weather clutter, this is a very realistic assumption.

If the complex envelope of the transmitted signal is given by

$$\tilde{S}_t(t) = \sqrt{E_t} \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{f}(t - mT_p) \tag{2.26}$$

where

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \tilde{f}(t-nT_p) \, \tilde{f}^*(t-mT_p) dt = \delta_{nm} \quad \text{as} \quad T_p \gg T_0$$

the hypothesis testing problem becomes,

$$\tilde{r}(t) = \sqrt{E}_t \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{B}_m \tilde{f}(t-\tau_d-mT_p)\exp(j\omega_D t)$$

$$+ \sqrt{E}_t \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_{mk} \tilde{f}(t-kT-mT_p)+\tilde{w}(t) \qquad :H_1$$

$$\tilde{r}(t) = \sqrt{E}_t \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_{mk} \tilde{f}(t-kT-mT_p)+\tilde{w}(t) \qquad :H_0$$

$$T_i \leq t \leq T_f \qquad (2.27)$$

where $\tilde{b}_{mk}$'s are jointly complex Gaussian random variables with

$$E[\tilde{b}_{mk}] = 0, \quad E[\,|\tilde{b}_{mk}|^2] = 2\sigma_{b_k}^2, \quad E[\tilde{b}_{mk}\tilde{b}_{nj}^*] = \tilde{R}_{b_k}(m-n)\delta_{kj}$$

where δ_{kj} is a Kronecker delta function. $\qquad (2.28)$

This hypothesis testing problem will again be modified in the following way: Let the entire range duration of interest be divided into range bins and let the length of each range bin be T seconds. Let there be in all (N+1) range bins. Now instead of testing for a target at a particular range delay τ_d, we will test for a target in a particular range bin by testing at the centre of the bin. Now T should be small enough so that there is little degradation in performance even if the target is at $\pm T/2$ from the centre of a range bin. If we let τ_d be in the nth range bin, we can replace τ_d by nT in (2.28). Without loss of generality we will assume n = 0 and test for a target in the zero'th range bin.

We also impose the following conditions on the waveform:

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \tilde{f}(t-kT-mT_p)\tilde{f}^*(t-jT-nT_p)dt = 0 \quad \text{for } j,k = 0,\dots,N$$
$$\text{when} \quad m \neq n$$

and

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \tilde{f}(t-kT-mT_p) \exp(j\omega_D t) \tilde{f}^*(t-jT-nT_p)dt = 0$$

$$\text{for } j,k = 0,1,\ldots,N$$

$$\text{when } m \neq n \qquad (2.29)$$

Then the hypothesis testing problem becomes

$$\tilde{r}(t) = \sqrt{E_t} \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{B}_m \tilde{f}(t-mT_p) \exp(j\omega_D t)$$

$$+ \sqrt{E_t} \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_{mk} \tilde{f}(t-kT-mT_p) + \tilde{w}(t) \qquad :H_1$$

$$\tilde{r}(t) = \sqrt{E_t} \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_{mk} \tilde{f}(t-kT-mT_p) + \tilde{w}(t) \qquad :H_0$$

$$T_i \leq t \leq T_f \qquad (2.30)$$

Let $E[|\tilde{B}_m|^2] = 2\sigma_B^2$ for $m = 0,1,\ldots,M-1$.

For a Swerling 1 target,

$$\tilde{B}_m = \tilde{B} \qquad \text{for } m = 0,1,\ldots,M-1. \qquad (2.31)$$

For a Swerling 2 target

$$E[\tilde{B}_m \tilde{B}_n^*] = 2\sigma_B^2 \delta_{mn} \qquad (2.32)$$

In Chapters 3 - 5, various receiver structures are obtained as solutions to this hypothesis testing problem. Some of them involve the use of the maximum entropy method(MEM)

the entropy H_N is defined as

$$H_N = - \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \cdots \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} p[X(1), \ldots X(N)] \times$$

$$\log p[X(1), \ldots X(N)] \, dX(1), \ldots dX(N) \quad (2.33)$$

where $p[.]$ represents the N dimensional joint probability
density of the random variables $X(1), \ldots X(N)$. Jaynes contends
that the probability density function $p[.]$ that is in agreement
with the 'testable' available data but is maximally non-committal
about unavailable information is the one that maximises entropy.
To apply this method to power spectrum estimation, we observe
that power spectrum representation implies second order
characterisation of a stationary random process. Shannon [45]
showed that of all the processes over $(-\infty, \infty)$ having the same
first and second order moments, the Gaussian process has the
maximum entropy. Thus the MEM constrains the process to be
modelled as Gaussian. Now let $X_N = [X(1), X(2), \ldots, X(N)]^T$
where the superscript T denotes transpose of a vector or a
matrix. Then assuming the process to be real and zero-mean,
the joint probability density of these observations can be
written as

$$p(X_N) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{N/2} \, Det(T_N)} \exp(-\tfrac{1}{2} X_N^T \, T_N^{-1} \, X_N) \quad (2.34)$$

where $Det(.)$ denotes the determinant of a matrix and
T_N denotes the $(N \times N)$ autocovariance matrix given below,

$$T_N \triangleq \begin{bmatrix} R(0) & R(1) & \cdots & R(N-1) \\ R(1) & R(0) & \cdots & R(N-2) \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ R(N-1) & R(N-2) & \cdots & R(0) \end{bmatrix}$$

and

$$(2.35)$$

$$R(p) = E[X(m)\,X(m-p)]$$

Substituting (2.34) in (2.33) the entropy H_N can be shown to be [46]

$$H_N = \tfrac{1}{2}\log[\mathrm{Det}(T_N)] + \text{Constant} \qquad (2.36)$$

For increasing N, H_N diverges, so instead entropy density h as defined below is maximised

$$h = \lim_{N \to \infty} \frac{H_N}{N} \qquad (2.37)$$

If initially it is assumed that the autocovariance function $R(k)$ for $|k| < N$ are known, the MEM strategy results in the extrapolation of the autocovariance function $R(k)$ for $|k| \geq N$ such that

$$\frac{\partial h}{\partial R(k)} = 0 \qquad \text{for } |k| \geq N \qquad (2.38)$$

subject to the constraints imposed by the known $R(k)$'s for $|k| < N$. That is, $R(k)$'s for $|k| \geq N$ are chosen so as maximize the entropy density h in (2.37) without perturbing the autocovariance values already known. The autocovariance

matrix T_N is symmetric and the elements along any diagonal are identical. This Toeplitz structure is instrumental in establishing a relation between the power spectral density $S(f)$ of the process and the entropy density h. The following relation between the determinant of T_N and the power spectral density $S(f)$ of the process can be established [46],

$$\lim_{N \to \infty} [Det(T_N)]^{1/N} = 2f_N \exp\left[(1/2f_N) \int_{-f_N}^{f_N} \log S(f) \, df\right]$$

$$\text{provided} \quad Det(T_N) \neq 0 \qquad (2.39)$$

where $f_N = 1/2\Delta t$ and Δt is the time interval between successive observations. After certain manipulations using (2.36), (2.37), (2.38) and (2.39), it has been shown by [46] that the power spectral density $S(f)$ that maximises the entropy density h is given by

$$S(f) = \frac{P_{N-1} \Delta t}{|1 + \sum_{k=1}^{N-1} \alpha_k \exp(-j2\pi f k \Delta t)|^2} \quad ; \quad -f_N \leq f \leq f_N \qquad (2.40)$$

where the coefficients α_1, α_2, ..., α_{N-1} and P_{N-1} are obtained by solving

$$R(j) + \sum_{k=1}^{N-1} \alpha_k R(j-k) = P_{N-n} \delta_{jo} \quad ; \quad j = 0,1,\ldots,N-1$$

$$(2.41)$$

Equation (2.41) can also be written as

$$\sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \alpha_k R(j-k) = P_{N-1} \delta_{jo} \quad ; \quad j = 0,1,\ldots,N-1 \qquad (2.42)$$

with $\alpha_o = 1$.

Thus to obtain the power spectral density, only α_k's and P_{N-1} need to be determined. The Toeplitz structure of the covariance matrix T_N allows (2.42) to be solved in a recursive manner as suggested by Levinson [47].

Here it need be pointed out that the Autoregressive (AR) modelling approach and the prediction filtering approach lead to the same spectral estimator. It has been shown by [48] that MEM spectral analysis is equivalent to fitting an AR model to the random process. This brings out an interesting fact, that the respresentation of a random process by an AR model is that representation that exhibits the maximum entropy. The equivalence between the prediction filtering approach when the present value of a random sample is estimated by a linear combination of some past values, and MEM has been shown by [39]. The MEM approach can also be viewed as an attempt to find a filter structure that whitens the observed time series [35]. The whitening filter transfer function H(f) in this case is given by,

$$H(f) = 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{N-1} \alpha_k \exp(-j 2\pi f k \, \Delta t) \qquad (2.43)$$

The above results for MEM spectral analysis is also valid for a complex-valued time series [49]. It was also assumed that in solving (2.42) the R(k)'s for k < N were known. Burg [36] suggested a method of obtaining α_k's in (2.42) directly from the data samples without prior knowledge of the autocovariance

function. Based on this method, Anderson [50] and Haykin [49]
have developed a fast recursive procedure for MEM spectral
analysis of a real-valued and complex-valued time series
respectively. A brief summary of the recursive procedure
developed by Haykin [49] is given below.

Recursive Procedure for MEM Spectral Analysis of a Complex Valued Time Series:

Equation (2.42) corresponds to fitting an AR model
of order N-1 or finding a prediction error filter of length N.
P_{N-1} is the output power of the prediction error filter.
Rather than finding the N-1 coefficients of this error filter,
the coefficients of a prediction error filter of length 2 are
first found. The coefficients of the prediction error filter
of length 3 are recursively evaluated from these and so on.
The equations to be solved then are,

$$\sum_{k=0}^{m} \alpha_{mk} R(j-k) = P_m \delta_{j.o} \quad ; \quad j = 0,1,\ldots,m$$

$$\text{and } \alpha_{mo} = 1 \text{ for any } m$$

$$(2.44)$$

where m denotes the order of the AR model being fitted and
m+1 gives the length of the prediction error filter whose
coefficients are being found. Equation (2.44) is now solved
recursively by increasing the matrix dimension from m to m+1.
The initial value for P_m when m = 0 is given by

$$P_o \triangleq R(o) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{N} | X(i) |^2 \qquad (2.45)$$

The corresponding prediction error filter is trivial with a single weight equal to unity. After solving (2.44) for $(m-1)$th order of filter, the next step for m involves the determination of $m+2$ unknowns ($R(m)$, α_{m1}, α_{m2} ... α_{mm}, P_m) from the $m+1$ equations (2.44). The additional condition required to solve for the unknowns is obtained by minimizing the average output power or the circular error power with respect to α_{mm}. This circular error power π_m is obtained by averaging the power from forward filtering and that from backward filtering, i.e., when the filter is conjugated, and the samples are run reversed in time. According to Haykin and Kesler [49], this circular error power π_m is given by

$$\pi_m = \frac{1}{2(N-m)} \sum_{k=1}^{N-m} [\; | X(k) + \sum_{j=1}^{m} \alpha_{mj}^* \; X(k+j) \; |^2$$

$$+ | X(k+m) + \sum_{j=1}^{m} \alpha_{mj} \; X(k+m-j) \; |^2] \qquad (2.46)$$

Minimising π_m with respect to α_{mm} and writing down the results [49] we get

$$\alpha_{mm} = \frac{-2 \sum_{k=1}^{N-m} B_{mk}^* \; C_{mk}}{\sum_{k=1}^{N-m} [\; |C_{mk}|^2 + |B_{mk}|^2]} \qquad (2.47)$$

where B_{mk} and C_{mk} are given by the following pair of recursive equations,

$$B_{mk} = B_{(m-1)k} + \alpha^{*}_{(m-1)(m-1)} \, C_{(m-1)k}$$

$$(2.48)$$

$$C_{mk} = C_{(m-1)(k+1)} + \alpha_{(m-1)(m-1)} \, B_{(m-1)(k+1)}$$

The iteration starts with m = 1 and

$$B_{1k} = X(k)$$

$$(2.49)$$

$$C_{1k} = X(k+1)$$

The other coefficients of the (m+1) long prediction error filter are calculated by

$$\alpha_{mk} = \alpha_{(m-1)k} + \alpha_{mm} \, \alpha^{*}_{(m-1)(m-k)} \; ; \quad k=1,2,\ldots,(m-1)$$

$$(2.50)$$

and the prediction error powers are given by,

$$P_m = P_{(m-1)} \, (1 - |\alpha_{mm}|^2)$$

$$(2.51)$$

The autocovariance function R(m) at each step m is obtained by,

$$R(m) = - \sum_{k=1}^{m} \alpha_{mk} \, R(m-k)$$

$$(2.52)$$

The whole recursion is to be carried out upto and including a certain value of m = MAX. Proper choice of MAX is an important part of MEM spectral analysis. Various criteria for the choice of MAX have been suggested [51-54]. Ulrych and Bishop [42] observed that spurious details were introduced into the spectrum when excessively large values of MAX were used. Small values of

MAX tend to smoothen out the resulting spectrum, thus annihilating some significant detail. However, the Final Prediction Error (FPE) criterion introduced by Akaike [51-53] is the most widely used criterian to choose MAX. If α_{mk}'s are a set of AR coefficients based on a certain sample realisation of a time series, Akaike's FPE measures the error that is incurred on the average when these coefficients are used as the model for other sample realisations of the same time series. For zero-mean processes, the following estimate of FPE_m has been developed by Akaike [51],

$$FPE_m = \frac{N + (m + 1)}{N - (m + 1)} \; P_m \qquad (2.53)$$

The order of the AR model or MAX is chosen as one that minimises the FPE. A major objection to Akaike's FPE criterion while using Burg's recursive procedure is that the AR model orders tend to be overestimated when the range of search is close to the length of the time series. However, it has been observed to give good results [39,54] if the range of search is limited to N/2 where N is the length of the time series.

Once MAX has been fixed, the autocovariance function $R(k)$ for $k > MAX$ can be extrapolated by

$$R(MAX + L) = - \sum_{k=1}^{MAX} \alpha_{MAX,k} \, R_{(MAX-k+L)} \; ; \quad L = 1,2\ldots \quad (2.54)$$

The inverse of the autocovariance matrix can also be found very easily as shown by Burg [36]. Let A_N be the NxN complex

autocovariance matrix of the time series of length N,

$$
A_N = \begin{bmatrix}
R(0) & R^*(1) & R^*(2) & \cdots & R^*(N-1) \\
R(1) & R(0) & R^*(1) & \cdots & R^*(N-2) \\
\vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\
R(N-1) & R(N-2) & R(N-3) & \cdots & R(0)
\end{bmatrix} \qquad (2.55)
$$

and

$$
R(p) = E[X(m)\, X^*(m-p)]
$$

Let T_N be a NxN matrix whose columns are the prediction error coefficients obtained at each step of the recursion,

$$(2.56)$$

and let P_N be an NxN diagonal matrix whose elements are the prediction error powers

$$
P_N = \begin{bmatrix}
P_{MAX} & & & & & & 0 \\
& P_{MAX} & & & & & \\
& & P_{max} & & & & \\
& & & P_{MAX-1} & & & \\
& & & & P_{MAX-2} & & \\
0 & & & & & P_1 & \\
0 & & & & & & P_0
\end{bmatrix}
\qquad (2.57)
$$

then it can be shown that

$$
T_N^{*\ T} A_N T_N = P_N \qquad (2.58)
$$

or $\quad A_N^{-1} = T_N P_N^{-1} T_N^{*T} \qquad (2.59)$

Regarding the statistical properties of the MEM estimator, due to the nonlinear nature of estimation, the variance of the spectral estimate cannot be easily obtained. Kromer [55] and Berk [56] determined the asymptotic properties of the MEM spectral estimator. According to their findings, MEM spectral estimate is Gaussian and unbiased in an asymptotic manner. If $\tilde{S}(f)$ denotes the MEM estimate using a model of

order m and time series of length N, then,

$$Var[\hat{S}(f)] = (2m/N) \, \mathbf{S}^2(f)$$

where $S(f)$ is the true spectral density.

Estimates for various moments of the MEM spectral estimator are difficult to obtain because of its nonlinear nature.

CHAPTER 3

OPTIMUM RECEIVER FORMULATION

In this chapter, the optimum receiver for the radar detection problem posed in Chapter 2, is obtained. We consider only Swerling 1 target models and the Neyman-Pearson criterion for optimisation. In Section 3.1, we derive the optimum receiver by solving an associated integral equation. In Section 3.2, we obtain an expression for the performance of such an optimum receiver.

3.1 Integral Equation Approach to the Optimum Receiver

Restating for convenience the radar detection problem posed in (2.30), we have for a Swerling 1 target,

$$\tilde{r}(t) = \sqrt{E_t} \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{B} \tilde{f}(t-mT_p) \exp(j\omega_D t)$$

$$+ \sqrt{E_t} \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_{mk} \tilde{f}(t-kT-mT_p) + \tilde{w}(t) \qquad :H_1$$

$$\tilde{r}(t) = \qquad \sqrt{E_t} \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_{mk} \tilde{f}(t-kT-mT_p) + \tilde{w}(t) \qquad :H_0$$

$$T_i \leq t \leq T_f \qquad (3.1)$$

where $E[\tilde{B}] = 0$, $E[\tilde{w}(t)] = 0$, $E[\tilde{b}_{mk}] = 0$, $E[|\tilde{B}|^2] = 2\sigma_B^2$,

$$E[\tilde{w}(t)\tilde{w}^*(u)] = N_0\delta(t-u), \quad E[\tilde{b}_{mk}\tilde{b}_{nj}^*] = \tilde{R}_{\tilde{b}_k}(m-n)\,\delta_{kj}.$$

Equation (3.1) uses the notation of Section 2.4. For convenience, we denote $\tilde{R}_{b_k}(m-n)$ as $\tilde{R}_k(m-n)$.

This hypothesis testing problem of detecting a target in the zero'th range bin and with Doppler shift ω_D, is a case of detecting a signal with unknown parameters in coloured noise. The usual way [5] to solve such problems is to use the Karhunen-Loeve (KL) expansion $\tilde{r}(t) = \sum_k \tilde{r}_k \tilde{\varphi}_k(t)$ where the $\tilde{\varphi}_k(t)$'s form a complete orthonormal set. $\tilde{\varphi}_k(t)$'s are obtained by solving the integral equation,

$$\lambda_i \, \tilde{\varphi}_i(t) \;=\; \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{K}_n(t,u) \, \tilde{\varphi}_i(u) \, du \qquad (3.2)$$

where $\tilde{K}_n(t,u)$ is the covariance function of the coloured noise. The optimum receiver computes

$$\tilde{\ell} \;\triangleq\; \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{r}(t) \, \tilde{g}^*(t) \, dt \qquad (3.3)$$

and compares $|\tilde{\ell}|^2$ with a threshold. $\tilde{g}(t)$ is obtained by solving the integral equation,

$$\sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{f}(t-mT_p) \, \exp(j\omega_D t) = \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{K}_n(t,u) \, \tilde{g}(u) \, du \qquad (3.4)$$

$$T_i \leq t \leq T_f$$

We now proceed to solve the integral equation (3.4) and obtain $\tilde{g}(t)$. $\tilde{K}_n(t,u)$ is given by

$$\tilde{K}_{\tilde{n}}(t,u) = E[(\tilde{n}_c(t) + \tilde{w}(t)(\tilde{n}_c^*(u) + \tilde{w}^*(u))]$$

where $\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad$ (3.5)

$$\tilde{n}_c(t) = \sqrt{E_t} \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_{mk} \tilde{f}(t-kT-mT_p)$$

As thermal noise and clutter are independent processes,

$$\tilde{K}_{\tilde{n}}(t,u) = E[\tilde{n}_c(t)\, \tilde{n}_c^*(u)] + E[\tilde{w}(t)\, \tilde{w}^*(u)]$$

$$= \tilde{K}_c(t,u) + N_0 \delta(t-u) \qquad\qquad (3.6)$$

where $\tilde{K}_c(t,u)$ is given by,

$$\tilde{K}_c(t,u) = E[\tilde{n}_c(t)\tilde{n}_c^*(u)]$$

$$= E[E_t[\sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_{mk}^* \tilde{f}(t-kT-mT_p)] \times$$

$$[\sum_{n=0}^{M-1} \sum_{j=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_{nj}^* \tilde{f}^*(u-jT-nT_p)]] \qquad (3.7)$$

As $E[\tilde{b}_{mk} \tilde{b}_{nj}^*] = \tilde{R}_k(m-n)\, \delta_{jk}$ from (3.1), we have,

$$\tilde{K}_c(t,u) = E_t \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{n=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{R}_k(m-n)\, \tilde{f}(t-kT-mT_p)\, \tilde{f}^*(u-kT-nT_p)$$

$$\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad (3.8)$$

From (3.4) we have

$$\tilde{g}(t) = -\frac{1}{N_0} \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{K}_c(t,u)\, \tilde{g}(u)\, du + \frac{1}{N_0} \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{f}(t-mT_p)\exp(j\omega_D t)$$

$$T_i \le t \le T_f \qquad (3.9)$$

This is a Fredholm integral equation of the second kind with $\tilde{K}_c(t,u)$ given by (3.7) as its kernal. As $\tilde{K}_c(t,u)$ is Hermitian and non-negative definite (being a covariance function), it can be shown [57] that there exists a unique solution for $\tilde{g}(t)$.

Substituting (3.6) and (3.8) in (3.4) we get,

$$\sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{f}(t-mT_p)\, \exp(j\omega_D t)$$

$$= E_t \int_{T_i}^{T_f} [\, \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{n=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{R}_k(m-n)\tilde{f}(t-kT-mT_p)\tilde{f}^*(u-kT-nT_p)]\,\tilde{g}(u)\,du$$

$$+ N_0\tilde{g}(t) \qquad\qquad (3.10a)$$

or

$$\sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{f}(t-mT_p)\, \exp(j\omega_D t)$$

$$= E_t \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} (\tilde{f}(t-kT-mT_p))[\sum_{n=0}^{m-1} \tilde{R}_k(m-n)\int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{f}^*(u-kT-nT_p)\tilde{g}(u)\,du]$$

$$+ N_0\tilde{g}(t) \qquad\qquad (3.10b)$$

Observing the term within the square brackets in (3.10b) we find $\tilde{g}(t)$ will be of the form

$$\tilde{g}(t) = \tilde{g}_{ds} \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{f}(t-mT_p)\, \exp(j\omega_D t)$$

$$+ \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{g}_{mk}\, \tilde{f}(t-kT-mT_p) \qquad\qquad (3.11)$$

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This gives the structure of the optimum receiver. We will now substitute this expression for $\tilde{g}(t)$ in the integral equation (3.10b) and solve for $\tilde{g}_{ds}$ and $\tilde{g}_{mk}$'s to determine the receiver completely. Define

$$\tilde{f}_I(t-kT) \triangleq \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{f}(t-kT) \\ \tilde{f}(t-kT-T_p) \\ \vdots \\ \tilde{f}(t-kT-(M-1)T_p) \end{bmatrix}_{Mx1}$$

$$\text{for } k = 0, \ldots, L \qquad (3.12a)$$

and

$$\tilde{\Lambda}_k = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{R}_k(0) & \tilde{R}_k^*(1) & \cdots & \tilde{R}_k^*(M-1) \\ \tilde{R}_k(1) & \tilde{R}_k(0) & \cdots & \tilde{R}_k^*(M-2) \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ \tilde{R}_k(M-1) & \tilde{R}_k(M-2) & \cdots & \tilde{R}_k(0) \end{bmatrix}_{Mxm}$$

$$\text{for } k = 0, \ldots, L \qquad (3.12b)$$

Writing (3.8) in matrix notation we have,

$$\tilde{K}_c(t,u) = E_t \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{f}_I^T(t-kT) \, \tilde{\Lambda}_k \, \tilde{f}_I^*(u-kT) \qquad (3.13)$$

Define,

$$\tilde{f}_S(t) \triangleq \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{f}(t)\,\exp(j\omega_D t) \\ \tilde{f}(t-T_p)\,\exp(j\omega_D t) \\ \vdots \\ \tilde{f}(t-(M-1)T_p)\,\exp(j\omega_D t) \end{bmatrix}_{Mx1} , \quad I_S \triangleq \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}_{Mx1}$$

$$(3.14)$$

and

$$\tilde{g}_k \triangleq \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{g}_{ok} \\ \tilde{g}_{1k} \\ \vdots \\ \tilde{g}_{(M-1)k} \end{bmatrix}_{Mx1} \qquad \text{for } k = 0,\ 1,\ 2,\ \ldots,\ L \quad (3.15)$$

Writing (3.11) in matrix notation we have,

$$\tilde{g}(t) = \tilde{g}_{ds}\,\tilde{f}_S^T(t)\,I_S + \sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{f}_I^T(t-kT)\,\tilde{g}_k \tag{3.16}$$

Define

$$\tilde{\rho}_{kS} \triangleq \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{f}_I^*(t-kT)\,\tilde{f}_S^T(t)\,dt$$

$$= \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{f}^*(t-kT) \\ \tilde{f}^*(t-kT-T_p) \\ \vdots \\ \tilde{f}^*(t-kT-(M-1)T_p) \end{bmatrix} \left[\,\tilde{f}(t)\exp(j\omega_D t) \ \ldots \ \tilde{f}(t-(M-1)T_p)\times \right.$$
$$\left. \exp(j\omega_D t)\,\right]dt$$

$$\text{for } k = 0,1,\ldots L \tag{3.17}$$

Now because of the conditions imposed on the waveform $\tilde{f}(t)$ in (2.29) $\tilde{\rho}_{kS}$ will be a diagonal matrix. $\tilde{\rho}_{kS}$ is given by

$$\tilde{\rho}_{kS} = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{\rho}_{kS}^{0} & & & & \\ & \tilde{\rho}_{kS}^{1} & & 0 & \\ & & \cdot & & \\ & & & \cdot & \\ & & & & \cdot \\ & 0 & & & \tilde{\rho}_{kS}^{M-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

where   (3.18)

$$\tilde{\rho}_{kS}^{w} = \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{f}*(t-kT-wT_p)\tilde{f}(t-wT_p) \exp(j\omega_D t)\, dt$$

Define,

$$\tilde{\rho}_{kh} \triangleq \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{f}_I{}^*(t-kT)\ \tilde{f}_I^T(t-hT)dt \quad ; \quad k,h = 0,1,\ldots,L$$

$$= \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{f}*(t-kT) \\ \tilde{f}^*(t-kT-T_p) \\ \vdots \\ \tilde{f}^*(t-kT-(M-1)T_p) \end{bmatrix} \times [\ \tilde{f}(t-hT) \ \ldots \ \tilde{f}(t-hT-(M-1)T_p)]dt$$

$$k,h = 0,1,\ldots,L \qquad (3.19)$$

Again because of the conditions imposed in (2.29), $\tilde{\rho}_{kh}$ will be a diagonal matrix. $\tilde{\rho}_{kh}$ is given by

$$\tilde{\rho}_{kh} = \tilde{\beta}_{k-h}\, I_D \qquad\qquad (3.20)$$

where I_D is an identity matrix and

$$\tilde{\beta}_{k-h} = \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{f}^*(t-kT) \; \tilde{f}(t-hT)dt.$$

We observe $\tilde{\beta}_o = 1$ and $\tilde{\beta}_{k-h} = \tilde{\beta}_{h-k}^*$.

Substituting (3.6), (3.13) and (3.16) in the integral equation (3.4) we get,

$$\tilde{f}_S^T(t) \; I_S = N_o[\tilde{g}_{ds}\tilde{f}_S^T(t)I_S + \sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{f}_I^T(t-kT)\tilde{g}_k]$$

$$+ E_t \int_{T_i}^{T_f} [\sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{f}_I^T(t-kT) \; \tilde{\Lambda}_k\tilde{f}_I^*(u-kT)]\times$$

$$[\tilde{g}_{ds} \; \tilde{f}_S^T(u) \; I_S + \sum_{q=o}^{L} f_I^T(u-qt)\tilde{g}_q]du$$

$$(3.21)$$

or

$$\tilde{f}_S^T(t) \; I_S = N_o[\tilde{g}_{ds}\tilde{f}_S^T(t) \; I_S + \sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{f}_I^T(t-kT)\tilde{g}_k]$$

$$+ E_t \; \tilde{g}_{ds} \sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{f}_I^T(t-kT) \; \tilde{\Lambda}_k \; \tilde{\rho}_{kS} \; I_S$$

$$+ E_t \sum_{q=o}^{L} \sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{f}_I^T(t-kT) \; \tilde{\Lambda}_k \; \tilde{\rho}_{kq} \; \tilde{g}_q \qquad (3.22)$$

Define

$$\tilde{C}_{kS} \triangleq \tilde{\rho}_{kS} \; I_S \qquad \text{for} \quad k = 0,1,2,\ldots,L \qquad (3.23)$$

From (3.22) we have

$$\tilde{f}_S^T(t) \; I_S = N_o \; \tilde{g}_{ds} \; \tilde{f}_S^T(t) \; I_S + N_o \sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{f}_I^T(t-kT) \; \tilde{g}_k$$

$$+ E_t \; \tilde{g}_{ds} \sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{f}_I^T(t-kT) \; \tilde{\Lambda}_k \; \tilde{C}_{kS}$$

$$+ E_t \sum_{q=o}^{L} \sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{f}_I^T(t-kT) \; \tilde{\Lambda}_k \; \tilde{\beta}_{k-q} \; \tilde{g}_q \qquad (3.24)$$

Observing (3.11) we see that $\tilde{g}_{ds}$ is just a scale factor and by choosing a particular value for $\tilde{g}_{ds}$, the $\tilde{g}_{mk}$'s and $\tilde{g}(t)$ will be suitably scaled. In conformity with (3.10) we choose $\tilde{g}_{ds} = 1/N_o$. Substituting the value of $\tilde{g}_{ds} = 1/N_o$ in (3.24) we get

$$0 = N_o \sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{f}_I^T(t-kT)\tilde{g}_k + \frac{E_t}{N_o} \sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{f}_I^T(t-kT) \; \tilde{\Lambda}_k \; \tilde{C}_{kS}$$

$$+ E_t \sum_{q=o}^{L} \sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{f}_I^T(t-kT) \; \tilde{\Lambda}_k \; \tilde{\beta}_{k-q} \; \tilde{g}_q \qquad (3.25)$$

Expanding (3.25) we get

$$\tilde{f}_I^T(t) [E_t \tilde{\Lambda}_o + N_o I_D]\tilde{g}_o + E_t \tilde{\beta}_1 \tilde{f}_I^T(t-T) \; \tilde{\Lambda}_1 \tilde{g}_o + \ldots E_t \tilde{\beta}_L \tilde{f}_I^T(t-LT) \; \tilde{\Lambda}_L \tilde{g}_o$$

$$+E_t \tilde{\beta}_1 \; \tilde{f}_I^T(t) \; \tilde{\Lambda}_o \; \tilde{g}_1 \quad + \tilde{f}_I^T(t-T) [E_t \; \tilde{\Lambda}_1 + N_o I_D]\tilde{g}_1 + \ldots E_t \tilde{\beta}_{L-1} \tilde{f}_I^T(t-LT) \tilde{\Lambda}_L \tilde{g}_1$$

$$+ \qquad \cdot \qquad\qquad\qquad \cdot \qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad \cdot$$

$$+E_t \tilde{\beta}_L^* \tilde{f}_I^T(t) \; \tilde{\Lambda}_o \tilde{g}_L \quad + \ldots\ldots\ldots\ldots \quad + \tilde{f}_I^T(t-LT) [E_t \; \tilde{\Lambda}_L + N_o I_D]\tilde{g}_L$$

$$= - \frac{E_t}{N_o} [\tilde{f}_I^T(t) \; \tilde{\Lambda}_o \; \tilde{C}_{oS} + \ldots \tilde{f}_I^T(t-LT) \; \tilde{\Lambda}_L \; \tilde{C}_{LS}] \qquad (3.26)$$

Now multiplying (3.25) or (3.26) by $\tilde{f}_I^*(t-LT)$ for $i=0,1,2\ldots L$ and integrating with respect to t from T_i to T_f we obtain the following set of matrix equations,

$$F_o \sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{\beta}_{i-k}\, \tilde{g}_k + E_t \sum_{q=o}^{L} \sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{\beta}_{i-k}\, \tilde{\beta}_{k-q}\, \tilde{\Lambda}_k\, \tilde{g}_q$$

$$= -\frac{E_t}{N_o} \sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{\beta}_{i-k}\, \tilde{\Lambda}_k\, \tilde{C}_{kS} \qquad \text{for } i=0,1,2,\ldots L \quad (3.27)$$

or rearranging terms,

$$E_t \sum_{q=o}^{L} \sum_{\substack{k=o \\ k\neq q}}^{L} \tilde{\beta}_{i-k}\, \tilde{\beta}_{k-q}\, \tilde{\Lambda}_k\, \tilde{g}_q + \sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{\beta}_{i-k}(N_o\, I_D + E_t\, \tilde{\Lambda}_k)\tilde{g}_k$$

$$= -\frac{E_t}{N_o} \sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{\beta}_{i-k}\, \tilde{\Lambda}_k\, \tilde{C}_{kS} \qquad \text{for } i=0,1,2\ldots L \quad (3.28)$$

Again rearranging terms and expanding,

$$[\tilde{\beta}_i(N_o I_D + E_t\, \tilde{\Lambda}_o) + \sum_{\substack{k=o \\ k\neq o}}^{L} E_t\tilde{\beta}_{i-k}\tilde{\beta}_{k-o}\, \tilde{\Lambda}_k]\tilde{g}_o$$

$$+ [\tilde{\beta}_{i-1}(N_o I_D + E_t\, \tilde{\Lambda}_1) + \sum_{\substack{k=o \\ k\neq 1}}^{L} E_t\tilde{\beta}_{i-k}\tilde{\beta}_{k-1}\, \tilde{\Lambda}_k]\tilde{g}_1 + \ldots$$

$$+ [\tilde{\beta}_{i-L}(N_o I_D + E_t\, \tilde{\Lambda}_L) + \sum_{\substack{k=o \\ k\neq L}}^{L} E_t\tilde{\beta}_{i-k}\tilde{\beta}_{k-L}\, \tilde{\Lambda}_k]\tilde{g}_L$$

$$= -\frac{E_t}{N_o} \sum_{k=o}^{L} \tilde{\beta}_{i-k}\, \tilde{\Lambda}_k\, \tilde{C}_{kS}$$

$$\text{for } i = 0,1,2\ldots L \qquad (3.29)$$

Equations (3.28) or (3.29) are a set of (L+1) simultaneous matrix equations in (L+1) unknowns $\tilde{g}_k$'s for k = 0,1,2,...L. The $\tilde{g}_k$'s are obtained as solution to this set of equations. We observe that $\bar{C}_{kS}$ is the only term that will change if the hypothesis testing problem is changed to detect targets at other range bins.

In an actual situation, the number of matrix equations to be solved depends on the $\bar{C}_{kS}$, $\tilde{\Lambda}_k$ and $\tilde{\beta}_k$ terms for k=0,1....L. From (3.18), (3.20) and (3.23) we observe that $\tilde{\beta}_k$ and $\bar{C}_{kS}$ terms depends on the ambiguity function

$$|\int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{f}(t - \frac{\tau'}{2})\tilde{f}^*(t + \frac{\tau'}{2})\exp(j\,\omega't)dt|^2$$

of the waveform $\tilde{f}(t)$. The optimum receiver structure is shown in Fig. 3.1.

3.2 Performance of the Optimum Receiver

From Section 3.1, the optimum receiver computes $\tilde{\ell} = \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{r}(t)\,\tilde{g}^*(t)\,dt$ and then compares $|\tilde{\ell}|^2$ with a threshold,

$$|\tilde{\ell}|^2 = |\int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{r}(t)\,\tilde{g}^*(t)\,dt|^2 \underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} \eta_T \qquad (3.30)$$

$$\tilde{r}(t) \longrightarrow \bigotimes_{X} \longrightarrow \boxed{\int_{T_i}^{T_f} dt} \longrightarrow \boxed{|\cdot|^2} \longrightarrow \begin{matrix} H_1 \\ \gtrless \\ H_0 \end{matrix} \quad \eta_T$$

$$\tilde{g}^*(t) = \frac{1}{N_0} \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} f^*(t-mT_p)\exp(-j\omega_D t)$$

$$+ \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{g}_{mk}^* \tilde{f}^*(t-kT-mT_p)$$

Fig. 3.1 Optimum Receiver for Swerling 1
Target Models (Complex Operations).

The sufficient statistic $\tilde{\ell}$ is a complex Gaussian random variable. $|\tilde{\ell}|^2$ will have an exponential probability density function. In such a case, it can be shown [28] that

$$P_F = (P_D)^{1+\Delta} \qquad (3.31)$$

where P_F denotes the probability of false alarm, and P_D denotes the probability of detection, and

$$\Delta = \frac{E[\ |\tilde{\ell}|^2\ /H_1] - E[\ |\tilde{\ell}|^2\ /H_0]}{E[\ |\tilde{\ell}|^2\ /H_0]} \qquad (3.32)$$

Now

$$E[\ |\tilde{\ell}|^2\ /H_0] = E[\int_{T_i}^{T_f}\int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{r}(t)\tilde{r}^*(u)\ \tilde{g}^*(t)\ g(u)\ dt\ du]$$

$$= \int_{T_i}^{T_f}\int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{K}_{\tilde{n}}(t,u)\ \tilde{g}^*(t)\ \tilde{g}(u)\ dt\ du \qquad (3.33)$$

Using (3.4) in (3.33) we get,

$$E[\ |\tilde{\ell}|^2\ /H_0] = \int_{T_i}^{T_f} [\ \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{f}(t-mT_p)\ \exp(j\omega_D t)]\tilde{g}^*(t)dt$$

$$= \int_{T_i}^{T_f} [\ \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} f(t-mT_p)\exp(j\omega_D t)]^* \tilde{g}(t)dt \qquad (3.34)$$

Also,

$$E[\ |\tilde{\ell}|^2\ /H_1] = E_t E[\ |\tilde{B}|^2] \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \int_{T_i}^{T_f} [\ \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{f}(t-mT_p)\exp(j\omega_D t)]\tilde{g}^*(t) \times$$

$$[\ \sum_{n=0}^{M-1} \tilde{f}^*(u-nT_p)\exp(-j\omega_D u)]\tilde{g}(u)du\ dt$$

$$+ E[|\tilde{\ell}|^2\ /H_o] \tag{3.35}$$

From (3.32), (3.34) and (3.35) we get

$$\Delta = 2\sigma_B^2\ E_t \int_{T_i}^{T_f} [\ \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{f}(t-mT_p)\ \exp(j\omega_D t)]\tilde{g}^*(t)\ dt \tag{3.36}$$

Substituting for $\tilde{g}(t)$ from (3.11) (with $\tilde{g}_{ds} = 1/N_o$) we have,

$$\Delta = 2\sigma_B^2\ E_t \int_{T_i}^{T_f} [\ \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{f}(t-mT_p)\ \exp(j\omega_D t)\ ] \times$$

$$[-\frac{1}{N_o} \sum_{n=0}^{M-1} \tilde{f}^*(t-nT_p)\ \exp(-j\omega_D t) + \sum_{p=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{g}_{pk}^* \tilde{f}^*(t-kT-pT_p)]$$

$$\tag{3.37}$$

Simplifying,

$$\Delta = 2\sigma_B^2\ E_t\ [-\frac{M}{N_o} + \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{g}_{mk}^*\ \rho_{kS}^m] \tag{3.38}$$

where $\rho_{kS}^m = \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{f}^*(t-kT-mT_p)f(t-mT_p)\ \exp(j\omega_D t)\ dt$

or

$$\Delta = \frac{2\sigma_B^2\ E_t}{N_o}[M + N_o \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{g}_{mk}^*\ \rho_{kS}^m] \tag{3.39}$$

The degradation in performance when clutter is present is due to the $\tilde{g}_{mk}^* \ \tilde{\rho}_{kS}^m$ terms. Of course, $\bar{g}_{mk}$ also depends on the $\tilde{\rho}_{kS}^m$ terms as can be seen from (3.29). As is evident from (3.29) and (3.39), the optimum receiver performance depends on the statistics of clutter and thermal noise as well as on the ambiguity function of the waveform $\tilde{f}(t)$. This performance of the optimum receiver could be improved by waveform or signal design. Of course, this calls for joint optimisation of the transmitter and receiver for a particular clutter environment.

As in general, the statistics of clutter are time varying, the coefficients ($\tilde{g}_k$'s) of the optimum receiver have to be continually updated to meet this changing clutter environment. This makes implementation of the optimum receiver unwieldy and complicated. If there are 16 hits/scan (M=16), a set of (L+1)16 simultaneous equations with complex coefficients have to be solved each time the receiver coefficients ($\tilde{g}_k$'s) are to be updated. Also in practical situations, where the statistics of clutter are a priori not known, optimum receivers which continually estimate the required clutter statistics and then update their coefficients ($\tilde{g}_k$'s) are difficult to implement with present day technology. In view of this, in Chapters 4 and 5, we propose and evaluate suboptimum

receivers and study how the maximum entropy method (MEM)
can be used to adaptively determine the parameters of these
receivers.

CHAPTER 4

STRUCTURED OPTIMUM RECEIVER FORMULATION

In Chapter 3, we found that the optimum receiver implementation in a changing clutter environment is extremely complicated. Global adaptive optimum receivers which continually estimate the required clutter statistics are difficult to implement with present day technology. In this chapter, we impose a structure on the receiver and within the constraints imposed by that structure, derive an optimum receiver for Swerling 1 target models. This receiver is termed Structured Optimum Receiver. In addition, we see how the scalar complex form of the maximum entropy method (MEM) can be successfully applied to continually estimate the required statistics of clutter therby enabling the parameters of the structured optimum receiver to be determined adaptively. In Section 4.1, we discuss the structure that is imposed on the receiver. In Section 4.2 we obtain a structured optimum receiver for Swerling 1 target models and compare the method followed to those of DeLong and Hofstetter [18], Spafford [17] and Rummler [16]. In Section 4.3, we obtain an expression for the performance of such a receiver. In Section 4.4, we evaluate the performance of such a receiver for the cases when the required clutter statistics are a priori known and

when MEM is used to estimate the required clutter statistics. The performance of the structured optimum receiver in both these cases is compared with that of a conventional matched filter receiver. A large number of receiver operating characteristic (ROC) graphs indicating the performance of such a receiver, under varying conditions of the target, clutter and thermal noise are included in this section. These ROC's have been obtained by computer simulation and numerical computation.

4.1 Matched Filter Structure Imposition

Restating for convenience the radar detection problem posed in (2.30), we have

$$\tilde{r}(t) = \sqrt{E_t} \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{B}_m \, \tilde{f}(t-mT_p) \, \exp(j\omega_D t)$$

$$+ \sqrt{E_t} \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_{mk} \, \tilde{f}(t-kT-mT_p) + \tilde{w}(t) \qquad :H_1$$

$$\tilde{r}(t) = \qquad \sqrt{E_t} \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_{mk} \, \tilde{f}(t-kT-mT_p) + \tilde{w}(t) \qquad :H_0$$

$$T_i \le t \le T_f \qquad\qquad (4.1)$$

where $E[\tilde{B}] = 0$, $E[\tilde{w}(t)] = 0$, $E[\tilde{b}_{mk}] = 0$, $E[|\tilde{B}|^2] = 2\sigma_B^2$,

$$E[\tilde{w}(t) \, \tilde{w}^*(u)] = N_0 \, \delta(t-u) \ , \quad E[\tilde{b}_{mk} \, \tilde{b}_{nj}^*] = \tilde{R}_{\tilde{b}_k}(m-n) \, \delta_{kj}.$$

Equation (4.1) uses the notation of Section 2.4. For

convenience, we denote $\bar{R}_{\tilde{b}_k}(m-n)$ as $\bar{R}_k(m-n)$.

The received signal $\tilde{r}(t)$ is passed through a matched filter (matched to a single pulse return) and sampled appropriately for returns corresponding to a single range bin (zero'th range bin in this case) during the entire scan. This is shown in Fig. 4.1. A matched filter structure is chosen, as intuitively it appears to be the best structure to impose and relatively easy to implement. Also a matched filter is the optimum receiver in the absence of clutter. It turns out that in the case of a Swerling 1 target model, imposing this structure implies choosing a class of transmit/ receive waveforms.

$$\tilde{h}(t) = \tilde{f}^{*}(T_0-t) \times$$
$$\exp(-j\omega_D(T_0-t)) \quad t = T_0 + mT_p \text{ instants;}$$
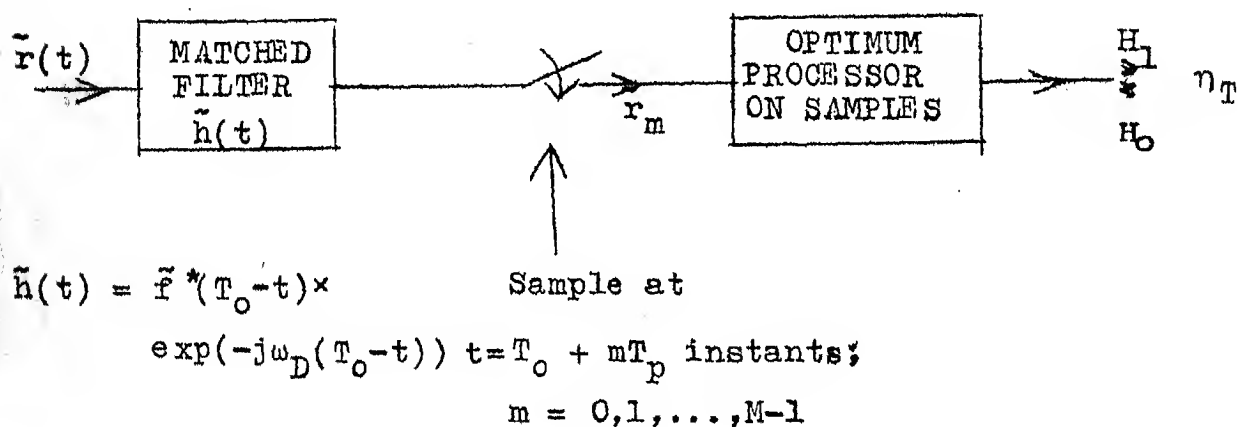$$m = 0,1,\ldots,M-1$$

Sample at

Fig. 4.1   Matched Filter Structured Optimum
Receiver (Complex Operations).

The impulse response $\tilde{h}(t)$ of the matched filter is given by

$$\tilde{h}(t) = \tilde{f}^*(T_o - t)\ \exp(j\omega_D(T_o - t))\qquad(4.2)$$

The output of the matched filter $\tilde{r}_m$ at time $t = T_o + mT_p$ on hypothesis H_1 is given by

$$\tilde{r}_m = \int_{T_i}^{T_f}[\sqrt{E_t}\ \sum_{m=o}^{M-1}\tilde{B}_m\tilde{f}(u-mT_p)\ \exp(j\omega_D u)]\ \times$$

$$[\tilde{f}^{**}(T_o-t+u)\exp(-j\omega_D(T_o-t+u))]du\ \Big|_{t=T_o+mT_p}$$

$$+\ \int_{T_i}^{T_f}[\sqrt{E_t}\ \sum_{m=o}^{M-1}\sum_{k=o}^{L}\tilde{b}_{mk}\ \tilde{f}(u-kT-mT_p)]\ \times$$

$$[\tilde{f}^{*}(T_o-t+u)\ \exp(-j\omega_D(T_o-t+u))]du\ \Big|_{t=T_o+mT_p}$$

$$+\int_{T_i}^{T_f}\tilde{w}(u)\tilde{f}^*(T_o-t+u)\ \exp(-j\omega_D(T_o-t+u))du\ \Big|_{t=T_o+mT_p}$$

$$(4.3)$$

Using the conditions stated in (2.29) and simplifying we have,

$$\tilde{r}_m = \sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{B}_m\ \exp(j\omega_D mT_p)$$

$$+\ \sqrt{E_t}\ \sum_{k=o}^{L}\tilde{b}_{mk}\int_{T_i}^{T_f}\tilde{f}(u-kT-mT_p)\tilde{f}^*(u-mT_p)\exp(-j\omega_D(u-mT_p))du$$

$$+\ \tilde{w}_m$$

$$(4.4)$$

or

$$\tilde{r}_m = \sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{B}_m\ \exp(j\omega_D T_p m)$$

$$+ \sqrt{E_t} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_{mk} \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{f}(u-kT)\tilde{f}^*(u)\ \exp(-j\omega_D u)\ du$$

$$+ \tilde{w}_m \qquad (4.5)$$

where

$$\tilde{w}_m = \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{w}(t)\ \tilde{f}^*(t-mT_p)\ \exp(-j\omega_D(t-mT_p))dt \qquad (4.6)$$

Define

$$\tilde{\alpha}_{k,\omega_D} \triangleq \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{f}(t-kT)\tilde{f}^*(t)\ \exp(-j\omega_D t)\ dt \qquad (4.7)$$

and

$$\tilde{d}_m = \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_{mk}\ \tilde{\alpha}_{k,\omega_D} \qquad (4.8)$$

It is observed that $\tilde{\alpha}_{k,\omega_D}$ depends on the ambiguity function of the waveform $\tilde{f}(t)$.

From (4.5), (4.7) and (4.8) the hypothesis testing problem can now be stated as

$$\tilde{r}_m = \sqrt{E_t}\tilde{B}_m\ \exp(j\omega_D m T_p) + \sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{d}_m + \tilde{w}_m \qquad : H_1$$

$$\tilde{r}_m = \qquad\qquad\qquad \sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{d}_m + \tilde{w}_m \qquad : H_0$$

$$m = 0,1,\ldots,M-1 \qquad (4.9)$$

where $E[\tilde{B}_m] = 0$, $E[\tilde{d}_m] = 0$, $E[\tilde{w}_m] = 0$, $E[|\tilde{B}_m|^2] = 2\sigma_B^2$,

$$E[\tilde{d}_m \tilde{d}_n^*] = [\sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{R}_k(m-n) |\tilde{\alpha}_{k,\omega_D}|^2], \quad E[\tilde{w}_m \tilde{w}_n^*] = N_0 \delta_{mn}.$$

The above hypothesis testing problem is now solved to obtain the structured optimum receiver. The Neyman-Pearson criterion is used for optimum processing of the samples. The receiver structure so obtained will be a structured optimum one as $\tilde{r}(t)$ is first passed through a matched filter before solving the hypothesis testing problem.

4.2 Structured Optimum Receiver for Swerling 1 Target Models

From (4.9) for a Swerling 1 target model we have,

$$\tilde{r}_m = \sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{B}\ \exp(j\omega_D m T_p) + \sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{d}_m + \tilde{w}_m \qquad : H_1$$

$$\tilde{r}_m = \qquad\qquad\qquad \sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{d}_m + \tilde{w}_m \qquad : H_0$$

$$m = 0,1,2,\ldots,M-1 \quad (4.10)$$

The $\tilde{d}_m$'s are jointly complex Gaussian random variables as they have been obtained from a complex Gaussian random process. Let

$$I_m = \sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{d}_m + \tilde{w}_m \qquad\qquad\qquad (4.11)$$

Using (4.11) in (4.10) we have,

$$\tilde{r}_m = \sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{B}\ \exp(j\omega_D m T_p) + \tilde{I}_m \qquad : H_1$$

$$\tilde{r}_m = \qquad\qquad\qquad \tilde{I}_m \qquad : H_0$$

$$m = 0,1,\ldots,M-1 \qquad (4.12)$$

$\tilde{I}_m$'s are also jointly complex Gaussian random variables.
Define

$$\tilde{I} \triangleq \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{I}_0 \\ \tilde{I}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \tilde{I}_{M-1} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \tilde{d} \triangleq \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{d}_0 \\ \tilde{d}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \tilde{d}_{M-1} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \tilde{w} \triangleq \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{w}_0 \\ \tilde{w}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \tilde{w}_{M-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{u} \triangleq \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{u}_0 \\ \tilde{u}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \tilde{u}_{M-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \exp(j\omega_D T_p) \\ \vdots \\ \exp(j\omega_D(M-1)T_p) \end{bmatrix}, \quad \tilde{r} \triangleq \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{r}_0 \\ \tilde{r}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \tilde{r}_{M-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(4.13)$$

Now

$$E[\tilde{d}] = 0, \quad E[\tilde{I}] = 0, \quad E[\tilde{r}] = 0, \quad E[\tilde{B}] = 0, \quad E[\tilde{w}] = 0 \quad (4.14)$$

Let

$$E[\tilde{d}\ \tilde{d}^{*T}] = 2h^2\ \tilde{A}_d \tag{4.15}$$

where the term $2h^2$ is used to make the diagonal elements of
$\tilde{A}_d$ equal to unity. $2h^2$ represents the expected value of the
clutter power in each sample when $E_t = 1$.

Now

$$\tilde{I} = \sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{d} + \tilde{w} \tag{4.16}$$

and

$$E[\tilde{I}\ \tilde{I}^{*T}] = E_t\ E[\tilde{d}\ \tilde{d}^{*T}] + E[\tilde{w}\ \tilde{w}^{*T}] = E_t\ 2h^2\ \tilde{A}_d + N_0\ I_D \tag{4.17}$$

where I_D is an identity matrix.

Let

$$E[\tilde{I} \ \tilde{I}^{*T}] = 2\beta^2 \ \tilde{A}_I \qquad (4.18)$$

where $2\beta^2 = 2h^2 E_t + N_o$ and the diagonal elements of $\tilde{A}_I$ are equal to unity. $2\beta^2$ represents the expected value of the total clutter and thermal noise power in each sample. $\tilde{A}_I$ is a positive definite matrix.

Using (4.12), (4.13), (4.15), (4.16) and (4.18), the hypothesis testing problem can now be stated as

$$\tilde{r} = \sqrt{E_t} \ \tilde{B} \ \tilde{u} + \tilde{I} \qquad : H_1$$

$$\tilde{r} = \qquad \tilde{I} \qquad : H_o \qquad (4.19)$$

where the probability density function of $\tilde{I}$ is given by

$$\tilde{p}_{\tilde{I}}(\tilde{I}) = \frac{1}{(2\pi\beta^2)^M \ Det(\tilde{A}_I)} \exp[- \frac{1}{2\beta^2} (\tilde{I}^{*T} \ \tilde{A}_I^{-1} \ \tilde{I})] \qquad (4.20)$$

This hypothesis testing problem will be solved using the Neyman-Pearson criterion for optimisation. As stated in Chapter 2, this criterion leads to the likelihood ratio test,

$$\Lambda(\tilde{r}) = \frac{p_{\tilde{r}/H_1}(\tilde{r}/H_1)}{p_{\tilde{r}/H_o}(\tilde{r}/H_o)} \quad \begin{matrix} H_1 \\ \gtrless \\ H_o \end{matrix} \quad \eta_T \qquad (4.21)$$

where $p_{\tilde{r}/H_1}(\tilde{r}/H_1)$ and $p_{\tilde{r}/H_o}(\tilde{r}/H_o)$ are the joint probability density functions of the observations given that H_1 and H_o are

true respectively. $\Lambda(\tilde{r})$ is the likelihood ratio. We first obtain the likelihood ratio given $\tilde{B}$ $(\Lambda(\tilde{r}/\tilde{B}))$. Now,

$$\Lambda(\tilde{r}/\tilde{B}) = \frac{p_{\tilde{r}/\tilde{B},H_1}(\tilde{r}/\tilde{B},H_1)}{p_{\tilde{r}/H_0}(\tilde{r}/H_0)} \tag{4.22}$$

where

$$p_{\tilde{r}/\tilde{B},H_1}(\tilde{r}/\tilde{B},H_1) = \frac{1}{(2\pi\beta^2)^m \, Det(\tilde{A}_I)}$$

$$\exp[-\frac{1}{2\beta^2}(\tilde{r}-\sqrt{E_t}\,\tilde{B}\,\tilde{u})^{*T}\,\tilde{A}_I^{-1}(\tilde{r}-\sqrt{E_t}\,\tilde{B}\,\tilde{u})] \tag{4.23}$$

and

$$p_{\tilde{r}/H_0}(\tilde{r}/H_0) = \frac{1}{(2\pi\beta^2)^M \, Det(\tilde{A}_I)} \, \exp[-\frac{1}{2\beta^2}(\tilde{r}^{*T}\,\tilde{A}_I^{-1}\,\tilde{r})] \tag{4.24}$$

Substituting the values of $p_{\tilde{r}/\tilde{B},H_1}(\tilde{r}/\tilde{B},H_1)$ and $p_{\tilde{r}/H_0}(\tilde{r}/H_0)$ in (4.22) we get,

$$\Lambda(\tilde{r}/\tilde{B}) = \exp[\frac{1}{2\beta^2}(\sqrt{E_t}\,\tilde{B}^*\tilde{u}^{*T}\,\tilde{A}_I^{-1}\,\tilde{r}$$

$$+ \sqrt{E_t}\,\tilde{B}\,\tilde{r}^{*T}\,\tilde{A}_I^{-1}\,\tilde{u} - E_t|\tilde{B}|^2\,\tilde{u}^{*T}\,\tilde{A}_I^{-1}\,\tilde{u})] \tag{4.25}$$

As $\tilde{A}_I^{-1}$ is Hermitian, the quadratic form $\tilde{u}^{*T}\,\tilde{A}_I^{-1}\,\tilde{u}$ will be a real number. Let

$$Y = \tilde{u}^{*T}\,\tilde{A}_I^{-1}\,\tilde{u} \tag{4.26}$$

As $\tilde{r}^{*T}\,\tilde{A}_I^{-1}\,\tilde{u}$ and $\tilde{u}^{*T}\,\tilde{A}_I^{-1}\,\tilde{r}$ are scalars,

$$\tilde{u}^{*T} \ \tilde{A}_I^{-1} \ \tilde{r} = (\tilde{u}^{*T} \ \tilde{A}_I^{-1} \ \tilde{r})^T = (\tilde{r}^{*T} \ \tilde{A}_I^{-1} \ \tilde{u})^* \tag{4.27}$$

From (4.25)

$$\Lambda(\tilde{r}/\tilde{B}) = \exp[\frac{1}{2\beta^2}(\sqrt{E_t} \ B(\tilde{r}^{*T} \ \tilde{A}_I^{-1} \ \tilde{u}) + \sqrt{E_t} \ \tilde{B}^*(\tilde{r}^{*T} \ \tilde{A}_I^{-1} \ \tilde{u})^*$$

$$- E_t \ |\tilde{B}|^2 \ Y)] \tag{4.28}$$

Let

$$\tilde{B} = |\tilde{B}| \ \exp(j\theta) \tag{4.29}$$

As $\tilde{B}$ is a zero mean complex Gaussian random variable, $|\tilde{B}|$ has a Rayleigh probability density given by

$$p_{|\tilde{B}|}(|\tilde{B}|) = \begin{cases} \dfrac{|\tilde{B}|}{\sigma_B^2} \ \exp[- \dfrac{|\tilde{B}|^2}{2\sigma_B^2}] & ; \quad |\tilde{B}| \geq 0 \\ \\ 0 & ; \quad |\tilde{B}| < 0 \end{cases} \tag{4.30}$$

θ is uniformly distributed between 0 and 2π and is independent of $|\tilde{B}|$. Let

$$\tilde{r}^{*T} \ \tilde{A}_I^{-1} \ \tilde{u} = | \ \tilde{r}^{*T} \ \tilde{A}_I^{-1} \ \tilde{u} | \ \exp(-j\alpha) \tag{4.31}$$

Then

$$\Lambda(\tilde{r}/\tilde{B}) = \Lambda(\tilde{r}/|\tilde{B}|, \theta)$$

$$= \exp[\frac{1}{2\beta^2}(\sqrt{E_t}|\tilde{B}| \ \exp(j\theta)| \ \tilde{r}^{*T} \ \tilde{A}_I^{-1} \ \tilde{u}| \ \exp(-j\alpha)$$

$$+ \sqrt{E_t}|\tilde{B}| \ \exp(-j\theta)| \ \tilde{r}^{*T} \ \tilde{A}_I^{-1} \ \tilde{u}|\exp(j\alpha) - E_t|\tilde{B}|^2 Y)]$$

$$\tag{4.32}$$

or

$$\Lambda(\tilde{r}/\tilde{B}) = \exp[\frac{1}{2\beta^2}(2\sqrt{E_t}|\tilde{B}||\tilde{r}^{*T}\tilde{A}_I^{-1}\tilde{u}|\cos(\theta-\alpha) - E_t|\tilde{B}|^2 Y)] \quad (4.33)$$

Now

$$\Lambda(\tilde{r}/|\tilde{B}|) = \frac{1}{2\pi}\int_0^{2\pi}\Lambda(\tilde{r}/|\tilde{B}|,\theta)\,d\theta \quad (4.34)$$

or

$$\Lambda(\tilde{r}/|\tilde{B}|) = \frac{1}{2\pi}\int_0^{2\pi}\exp[-\frac{|\tilde{B}|^2 E_t Y}{2\beta^2}]\exp[\frac{\sqrt{E_t}|\tilde{B}||\tilde{r}^{*T}\tilde{A}_I^{-1}\tilde{u}|\cos(\theta-\alpha)}{\beta^2}]$$

$$= \exp[-\frac{|\tilde{B}|^2 E_t Y}{2\beta^2}]I_0(\frac{\sqrt{E_t}|\tilde{B}||\tilde{r}^{*T}\tilde{A}_I^{-1}u|}{\beta^2}) \quad (4.35)$$

where $I_0(.)$ is the modified Bessel function of zero order. Now

$$\Lambda(\tilde{r}) = \int_0^{\infty}(\tilde{r}/|\tilde{B}|)\,p_{|\tilde{B}|}(|\tilde{B}|)d|\tilde{B}| \quad (4.36)$$

Substituting for $p_{|\tilde{B}|}(|\tilde{B}|)$ from (4.30) we get,

$$\Lambda(r) = \int_0^{\infty}\exp[-\frac{E_t Y|\tilde{B}|^2}{2\beta^2}]\,I_0(\frac{\sqrt{E_t}|\tilde{B}||r^{*T}\tilde{A}_I^{-1}\tilde{u}|}{\beta^2})\frac{|\tilde{B}|}{\sigma_B^2}\times$$

$$\exp(-\frac{|\tilde{B}|^2}{2\sigma_B^2})\,d|\tilde{B}| \quad (4.37)$$

This is a special case of the integral,

$$\int_0^{\infty}t^{\mu-1}I_v(\alpha t)\exp(-p^2 t^2)\,dt$$

$$= \frac{\Gamma(\frac{\mu+v}{2})(\frac{\alpha}{2p})^v}{2p^{\mu}\Gamma(v+1)}\exp[\frac{\alpha^2}{4p^2}]_1F_1(\frac{v-\mu}{2}+1;v+1;\frac{-\alpha^2}{4p^2}) \quad (4.38)$$

where $\Gamma(.)$ is the gamma function and $_1F_1(a;\ c;\ z)$ is the confluent hypergeometric function.

Simplifying (4.37) using (4.38), and taking the log likelihood ratio, we obtain the optimum decision rule as

$$|\, \tilde{r}^{*T}\ \tilde{A}_I^{-1}\ \tilde{u}\,|^2 \quad \overset{H_1}{\underset{H_0}{\gtrless}} \quad \eta_T \tag{4.40}$$

Let

$$\tilde{v} \triangleq [\tilde{v}_0,\ \tilde{v}_1,\ \ldots,\ \tilde{v}_{M-1}]^T = \tilde{A}_I^{-1}\ \tilde{u} \tag{4.41}$$

The optimum decision rule can then be written as

$$|\, \overset{*}{\tilde{r}}{}^T\ \tilde{v}\,|^2 \quad \overset{H_1}{\underset{H_0}{\gtrless}} \quad \eta_T \tag{4.42}$$

or

$$|\, \tilde{v}^{*T}\ \tilde{r}\,|^2 \quad \overset{H_1}{\underset{H_0}{\gtrless}} \quad \eta_T \tag{4.43}$$

Equation (4.43) can also be written as

$$|\, \sum_{m=0}^{M-1}\ \tilde{r}_m\ \tilde{v}_m^*\,|^2 \quad \overset{H_1}{\underset{H_0}{\gtrless}} \quad \eta_T \tag{4.44}$$

The structured optimum receiver corresponding to (4.44) is shown in Fig. 4.2.

We observe from (4.3) that $\tilde{r}_m$ could also be obtained by correlating $\tilde{r}(t)$ with $\tilde{f}^*(t-mT_p)\ \exp(-j\omega_D(t-mT_p))$,
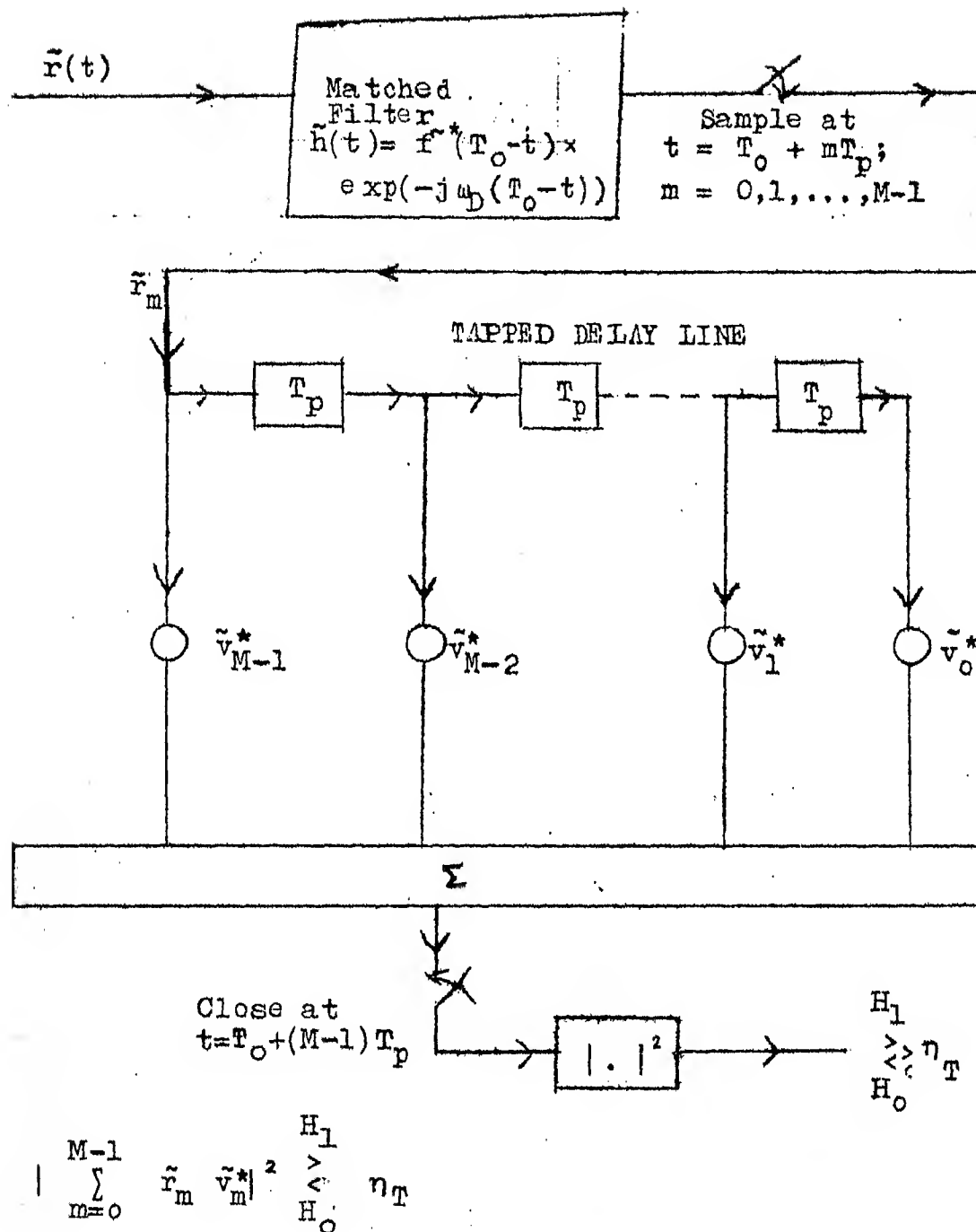
$$\left| \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{r}_m \, \tilde{v}_m^* \right|^2 \underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} \eta_T$$

Fig.4.2 Structured Optimum Receiver for Swerling 1
Target Models (Complex Operations).

or

$$\tilde{r}_m = \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{r}(t) \; \tilde{f}^*(t-mT_p) \; \exp(-j\omega_D(t-mT_p)) \; dt \qquad (4.45)$$

Using (4.45) in (4.44), the optimum test is given by

$$\left| \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{r}(t) [\sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{v}_m \exp(j\omega_D m T_p) \; \tilde{f}^*(t-mT_p) \times \exp(-j\omega_D t)] dt \right|^2 \quad \begin{matrix} H_1 \\ > \\ < \\ H_0 \end{matrix} \quad \eta_T \qquad (4.46)$$

An alternate realisation of the receiver can be obtained by correlating the received waveform $\tilde{r}(t)$ with

$$\sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{v}_m \exp(j\omega_D m T_p) \; \tilde{f}^*(t-mT_p) \; \exp(-j\omega_D t)$$

and taking the modulus square to get the sufficient statistic. Fig. 4.3 shows an alternate realisation of the structured optimum receiver based on (4.46).

From (4.46) we observe that imposing a matched filter structure on the receiver is equivalent to choosing a class of transmit/receive waveforms. In this particular case, the transmit waveform (by transmit waveform, we mean the reflected signal from the target only) is given by

$$\sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \exp(j\omega_D m T_p) \; \tilde{f}(t-mT_p) \; \exp(j\omega_D(t-mT_p)) \qquad (4.47)$$
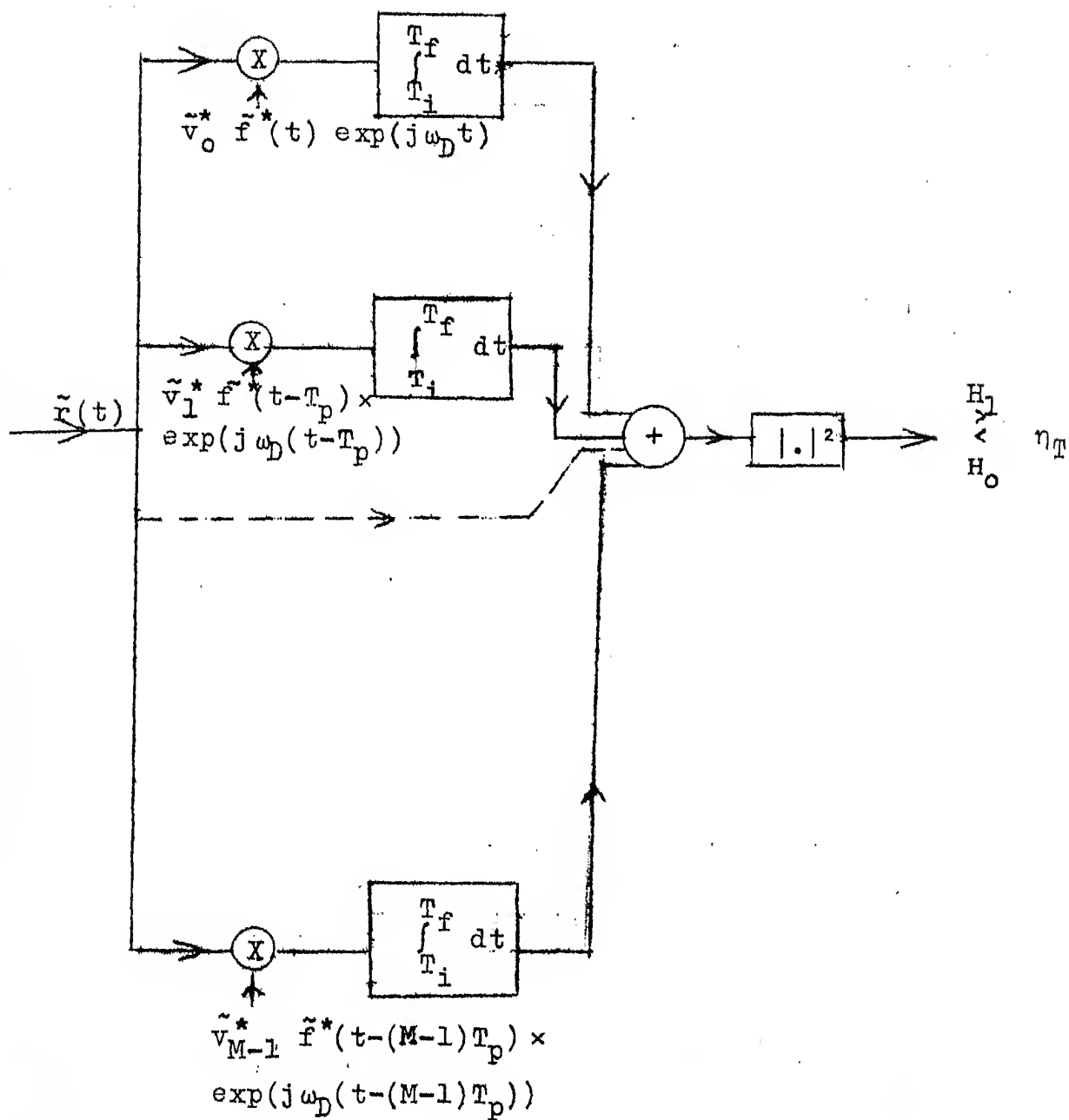
and the receive waveform is given by

Fig.4.3   Alternate Realisation of the Structured Optimum
Receiver (Complex Operations).

$$\sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{v}_m \ \tilde{f}(t-mT_p) \ \exp(j\omega_D(t-mT_p)) \tag{4.48}$$

Also it need be mentioned here that Delong and Hofstetter [18], Spafford [17], and Rummler [16] have obtained the same receiver structure for a slowly fluctuating point target under a different criterion. They have assumed a class of transmit/ receive waveforms similar to the ones in (4.47) and (4.48) and maximised the signal to interference ratio(SIR). Each has followed a different method of maximising the SIR, which is their criterion, and the results obtained by them are identical to the one obtained here. It can be easily shown that when the return signal $\tilde{r}(t)$ is a complex Gaussian process, maximising the SIR is equivalent to maximising the probability of detection (P_D) for a given probability of false alarm (P_F). Delong et.al[18]and Spafford [17] have also proposed steps for joint optimisation of the transmitted signal and receiver for a class of transmit/receive waveform for a given clutter scattering function.

A knowledge of $\tilde{v}$ or $\tilde{\Lambda}_I^{-1}$ is required to implement the receiver shown in Fig. 4.2. The inverse covariance matrix $\tilde{\Lambda}_I^{-1}$ may be estimated from $\tilde{r}_m$'s, using the complex form of the maximum entropy method (MEM), during those scans, when no target is present in that range bin, or a decision to that effect has been taken. It was shown in Chapter 2, that $\tilde{\Lambda}_I^{-1}$ could be obtained directly without the need to obtain $\tilde{\Lambda}_I$

and then compute its inverse. This estimate of $\tilde{A}_T^{-1}$ could be averaged over several such scans. In a recent paper [43], Kesler and Haykin report using recorded radar clutter data to carry out MEM analysis to obtain the clutter spectrum. It was found that 16 samples (or equivalently 16 hits/scan) were adequate to get a 'very good' spectrum. The difference in the spectrum, when 256 samples and 16 samples were used respectively, was negligible. Even 8 samples gave a reasonably good spectrum. Thus a good estimate of $\tilde{A}_T^{-1}$ may be obtained from real radar data by using MEM. As $\tilde{A}_T^{-1}$ is being calculated during those scans when no target is present or a decision to that effect has been taken, the quasi time invariant nature of the statistics of **clutter** are also taken into account. Thus the structured optimum receiver for Swerling 1 target models can be implemented even when the clutter statistics are a priori not known.

4.3 Performance of Structured Optimum Receiver for Swerling 1 Target Models

From (4.44) the optimum decision rule is given by

$$z \overset{\Delta}{=} |\tilde{\ell}|^2 = |\sum_{m=0}^{M-1} r_m v_m^*|^2 \underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} \eta_T \qquad (4.49)$$

where $\tilde{\ell}$ is a sufficient statistic.

Now $\tilde{r}_m$'s are jointly complex Gaussian random variables as $\tilde{I}_m$'s are jointly complex Gaussian and $\tilde{I}_m$'s and $\tilde{B}$ are

independent. $\tilde{\ell}$ is a linear combination of $\tilde{r}_m$'s and is also a complex Gaussian random variable.

The probability of false alarm P_F is given by

$$P_F = \int_{\eta_T}^{\infty} p_{z/H_o}(z/H_o)dz \qquad (4.50)$$

and the probability of detection P_D is given by

$$P_D = \int_{\eta_T}^{\infty} p_{z/H_1}(z/H_1)dz \qquad (4.51)$$

The probability density function of z will be exponential. Then from (3.31) and (3.32) we have,

$$P_F = (P_D)^{1+\Delta} \qquad (4.52)$$

where

$$\Delta = \frac{E[\ |\tilde{\ell}|^2\ /H_1] - E[\ |\tilde{\ell}|^2\ /H_o]}{E[\ |\tilde{\ell}|^2\ /H_o]} \qquad (4.53)$$

Δ is called the signal to interference ratio (SIR). It may be observed from (4.52) that maximising P_D for a particular value of P_F is equivalent to maximising Δ.

In the case of the structured optimum receiver,

$$\tilde{\ell} = \sum_{m=o}^{M-1} \tilde{r}_m \tilde{v}_m^* \qquad (4.54)$$

$$|\tilde{\ell}|^2 = [\sum_{m=o}^{M-1} \tilde{r}_m \tilde{v}_m^*][\sum_{k=o}^{M-1} \tilde{r}_k^* \tilde{v}_k] = \tilde{v}^T\ \tilde{r}\ \tilde{r}^{*T}\ v \qquad (4.55)$$

$$E[\ |\tilde{\ell}\ |^2\ /H_o] = E[(\tilde{v}^{*T}\ \tilde{r}\ \tilde{r}^{*T}\tilde{v})/H_o] = \tilde{v}^{*T}\ E[\tilde{I}\ \tilde{I}^{*T}]\tilde{v}$$

$$= 2\beta^2\ \tilde{v}^{*T}\ \tilde{A}_I\ \tilde{v} \qquad (4.56)$$

$$E[\ |\tilde{\ell}|^2\ /H_1] = E[\ (\tilde{v}^{*T}\ \tilde{r}\ \tilde{r}^{*T}\ \tilde{v})/H_1] = \tilde{v}^{*T}\ E[(\tilde{r}\ \tilde{r}^T)/H_1]\tilde{v}$$

$$(4.57)$$

Now

$$E[\tilde{r}\tilde{r}^{*T}/H_1] = E_t\ E[\ |\tilde{B}|^2]\ \tilde{u}\ \tilde{u}^{*T} + 2\beta^2\tilde{A}_I \qquad (4.58)$$

Let

$$A_T \overset{\Delta}{=}\ \tilde{u}\ \tilde{u}^{*T} \qquad (4.59)$$

Then

$$[E[\ |\tilde{\ell}|^2/H_1] = 2\sigma_B^2\ E_t\ \tilde{v}^{*T}\ \tilde{A}_T\ \tilde{v} + 2\beta^2\ \tilde{v}^{*T}\ \tilde{A}_I\ \tilde{v} \qquad (4.60)$$

and

$$\Delta = \frac{2\sigma_B^2\ E_t\ \tilde{v}^{*T}\tilde{A}_T\ \tilde{v}}{2\beta^2\ \tilde{v}^{*T}\ \tilde{A}_I\ \tilde{v}} = \frac{2\sigma_B^2\ E_t\ \tilde{v}^{*T}\ \tilde{A}_T\ \tilde{v}}{(\ 2h^2E_t+N_o)\tilde{v}^{*T}\tilde{A}_I\tilde{v}} \qquad (4.61)$$

$2\sigma_B^2\ E_t$ and $2\beta^2$ are the expected value of the target and interference power in each sample respectively.

4.4 Performance Evaluation of the Structured Optimum Receiver by Simulation and Numerical Computation

The performance of the structured optimum receiver, for both the cases when the required clutter statistics are a priori known, and when the maximum entropy method is used to estimate the required clutter statistics, is evaluated by

means of computer simulation and numerical computation. The performance of the structured optimum receiver in both these cases is compared with the performance of a conventional matched filter receiver. Performance evaluation is done for varying conditions of target power, target velocity, clutter power, clutter spectral width, thermal noise power etc. As is commonly done in most performance evaluations, the clutter returns are assumed to have a Gaussian shaped power spectral density. A Gaussian shaped power spectral density corresponds to an infinite step autoregressive model.

The entire simulation scheme is discussed in Appendix A. Briefly, zero-mean complex Gaussian clutter samples $\tilde{d}_k$'s, with Gaussian shaped power spectral density, are generated on the computer. Zero-mean complex white Gaussian samples $\tilde{w}_k$'s are also generated on the computer and these are added to $\tilde{d}_k$'s to obtain interference samples $\tilde{I}_k$'s. These $\tilde{I}_k$'s correspond to the output of the matched filter in Fig. 4.2 when no target is present. Then the complex form of the maximum entropy method is used to estimate the inverse of the total interference covariance matrix. Performance evaluation for various cases is now done using variations of (4.61). Details of this are given below.

Number of hits/scan (M) $= 16$

Pulse repetition frequency $(1/T_p) = 540$ Hz

This means each sample is spaced 1/540 seconds apart.

We use the following notation:

$\tilde{A}_I$ denotes the actual interference covariance matrix.

$\tilde{A}_{MEM}^{-1}$ denotes the MEM estimate of the inverse of the interference covariance matrix.

P_c denotes the expected value of the clutter power/sample.
$P_c = 2h^2 E_t$.

P_T denotes the expected value of the target power/sample.
$P_T = 2\sigma_B^2 E_t$.

N_o denotes the expected value of the thermal noise power/sample.

f_3 denotes the two-sided half-power width (in Hz) of the clutter power spectral density.

f_o denotes the centre frequency (in Hz) of the clutter power spectral density.

f_D denotes the Doppler frequency shift (in Hz) due to the target motion.

$\tilde{A}_T$ and $\tilde{u}$ are as defined in (4.13) and (4.59) respectively.

The performance of the structured optimum receiver, when the required clutter statistics are a priori known, is evaluated by calculating Δ_{th} where

$$\Delta_{th} = \frac{2\sigma_B^2 E_t \, \tilde{v}^{*T} \, \tilde{A}_T \, \tilde{v}}{(2h^2 E_t + N_o)\tilde{v}^{*T}\tilde{A}_I\tilde{v}} = \frac{P_T \, \tilde{v}^{*T} \, \tilde{A}_T \, \tilde{v}}{(P_c + N_o)\tilde{v}^{*T} \, \tilde{A}_I \, \tilde{v}} \qquad (4.62)$$

where $\qquad \tilde{v} = \tilde{\Lambda}_I^{-1} \tilde{u}$

$$P_F = (P_D)^{1+\Delta_{th}} \qquad (4.63)$$

For any given clutter statistics, this performance is the maximum attainable by the structured optimum receiver. This receiver is denoted as structured optimum receiver S1.

The performance of the structured optimum receiver, when the required clutter statistics are estimated using the complex form of the MEM is evaluated by calculating Δ_{sto} where

$$\Delta_{sto} = \frac{2\sigma_B^2 \, E_t \cdot \tilde{v}^{*T} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_T \, \tilde{v}}{(2h^2 E_t + N_o)\tilde{v}^{*T} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_I \, \tilde{v}} \;=\; \frac{P_T \, \tilde{v}^{*T} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_T \, \tilde{v}}{(P_c + N_o) \, \tilde{v}^{*T} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_I \, \tilde{v}} \qquad (4.64)$$

where $\qquad \tilde{v} = \tilde{\Lambda}_{MEM}^{-1} \, \tilde{u}$

$$P_F = (P_D)^{1+\Delta_{sto}} \qquad (4.65)$$

This receiver is denoted as structured optimum receiver S2. The performance of the conventional matched filter receiver is evaluated by calculating

$$\Delta_{mf} = \frac{2\sigma_B^2 \, E_t \, \tilde{u}^{*T} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_T \, \tilde{u}}{(2h^2 E_t + N_o)\tilde{u}^{*T} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_I \, \tilde{u}} \;=\; \frac{P_T \, \tilde{u}^{*T} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_T \, \tilde{u}}{(P_c + N_o)\tilde{u}^{*T} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_I \, \tilde{u}} \qquad (4.66)$$

$$P_F = (P_D)^{1+\Delta_{mf}} \qquad (4.67)$$

performance of the conventional matched filter receiver no clutter is present is evaluated by calculating

$$\Delta_{ideal} = \frac{2\sigma_B^2 \, E_t \, \tilde{u}^{*T} \, \tilde{A}_T \, \tilde{u}}{N_0 \, \tilde{u}^{*T} \, \tilde{u}} = \frac{P_T \, \tilde{u}^{*T} \, \tilde{A}_T \, \tilde{u}}{N_0 \, \tilde{u}^{*T} \, \tilde{u}} \tag{4.68}$$

$$P_F = (P_D)^{1+\Delta_{ideal}} \tag{4.69}$$

Δ_{th}, Δ_{sto}, Δ_{mf} and Δ_{ideal} were calculated for a large number of cases by varying P_T, P_c, N_0, f_D and f_3. These are presented in Table 1. The receiver operating characteristic (ROC) graphs for some of these cases are given in Figs.4.4 to 4.16.

The following observations are made on the overall performance of the structured optimum receiver, for both the cases when the clutter statistics are apriori known, and when they are estimated using the MEM:

(a)　In the fairly wide range of situations considered the performance of the structured optimum receiver when clutter statistics are a priori known or when they are estimated by MEM, is far superior to that of the conventional matched filter receiver whose design ignores the presence of clutter in the received signal.

(b)   In a large number of cases, the difference between
       Δ_{sto} and Δ_{th} is under 15 percent. This percentage
       difference decreases with increase in the target
       velocity. MEM appears to be able to estimate the
       required clutter statistics 'reasonably well' with
       only 16 samples.

(c)   The performance of the three receivers is greatly
       dependent on the target velocity or Doppler shift.
       Δ_{ideal} in Table 1 gives the maximum attainable
       performance when no clutter is present, everything
       else remaining the same. At very low target doppler
       shifts (20 Hz and below), the performance of all the
       three receivers is poor. However, even here the
       structured optimum receivers perform better than the
       conventional matched filter receiver. At target
       Doppler shifts of 100 Hz or more and for f_3 equal to
       10 Hz or less, the performance of the structured
       optimum receivers approach the maximum attainable
       performance (when no clutter is present) to within
       about 20 percent (in terms of Δ) even when the clutter
       is as high as 50 dB above the thermal noise power level.
       However, the conventional matched filter performance
       is very poor.

(d) The performance of the structured optimum receivers improve as the clutter spectral width decreases. This improvement in performance (in terms of Δ) is very noticeable at target Doppler shifts of 40 Hz and below. At a target Doppler shift of 40 Hz and f_3 equal to 1 Hz, the difference in performance of the structured optimum receivers and the maximum attainable performance (when no clutter is present) is less than 20 percent even when the clutter is as high as 30 dB above the thermal noise power.

(e) At a target doppler shift of 100 Hz and f_3 equal to 10 Hz, the variation in performance (in terms of Δ) of the structured optimum receivers, as the clutter power increases from 0 dB to 50 dB above the thermal noise power, is less than 20 percent. This variation in performance decreases as the clutter spectral width decreases.

Pulse repetition frequency $(1/T_p)$ = 540 Hz

Number of hits/scan = 16

Centre frequency of the clutter spectra (f_o) = 0 Hz

$$P_F = (P_D)^{1+\Delta}$$

where Δ = Signal to interference ratio

S.No.	f_3 Hz	CLUTTER POWER/SAMPLE P_c	THERMAL WHITE NOISE POWER/SAMPLE N_o	TARGET POWER/SAMPLE P_T	TARGET DOPPLER SHIFT F_D Hz	Δideal	Δmf	Δsto	Δth	COMMENTS
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	0.0	0.0	1.0	10.0	100.0	160.0	160.0	159.97	160.0	No Clutter
2	10.0	1.0	1.0	10.0	100.0	160.0	155.17	155.25	157.41	Clutter
3	10.0	100.0	1.0	10.0	100.0	160.0	38.94	144.15	153.74	power
4	10.0	1000.0	1.0	10.0	100.0	160.0	4.99	141.50	151.94	being
5	10.0	10000.0	1.0	10.0	100.0	160.0	0.51	128.36	145.55	varied
6	10.0	100000.0	1.0	10.0	100.0	160.0	0.051	121.88	139.70	for f_3 = 10Hz
7	10.0	1000.0	1.0	10.0	0.0	160.0	0.010	0.010	0.015	Target
8	10.0	1000.0	1.0	10.0	10.0	160.0	0.014	0.08	0.17	velocity
9	10.0	1000.0	1.0	10.0	20.0	160.0	0.035	1.40	3.5	being
10	10.0	1000.0	1.0	10.0	30.0	160.0	0.25	12.38	21.38	varied
11	10.0	1000.0	1.0	10.0	40.0	160.0	0.434	49.77	62.8	for
12	10.0	1000.0	1.0	10.0	200.0	160.0	11.41	150.05	157.12	f_3 = 10 Hz
13	10.0	1000.0	1.0	10.0	270.0	160.0	17.10	152.17	157.60	f_3 = 10 Hz

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
14	10.0	100.0	1.0	1000.0	5.0	16000.0	11.24	21.51	25.0	Very large targets at low velocity
15	10.0	10.0	1.0	100.0	160.0	1600.0	1220.53	1508.76	1546.67	Large targets weak clutter
16	20.0	1.0	1.0	10.0	100.0	160.0	148.47	153.74	156.31	Clutter power being varied for
17	20.0	100.0	1.0	10.0	100.0	160.0	18.25	139.62	148.45	f_3 = 20 Hz
18	20.0	1000.0	1.0	10.0	100.0	160.0	2.03	127.50	139.85	
19	20.0	1000.0	1.0	10.0	10.0	160.0	0.015	0.02	0.035	Target velocity being varied
20	20.0	1000.0	1.0	10.0	20.0	160.0	0.03	0.15	0.25	
21	20.0	1000.0	1.0	10.0	40.0	160.0	0.29	8.3	14.23	for f_3 = 20 Hz
22	1.0	1.0	1.0	10.0	100.0	160.0	159.50	155.78	159.92	Clutter power
23	1.0	100.0	1.0	10.0	100.0	160.0	121.98	152.73	157.13	being varied
24	1.0	1000.0	1.0	10.0	100.0	160.0	38.87	151.19	154.37	for f_3 = 1.0 Hz
25	1.0	1000.0	1.0	10.0	5.0	160.0	0.01	1.25	1.36	Target velocity
26	1.0	1000.0	1.0	10.0	10.0	160.0	0.013	5.45	6.55	being varied
27	1.0	1000.0	1.0	10.0	40.0	160.0	0.45	129.6	141.3	for
28	1.0	1000.0	1.0	10.0	270.0	160.0	145.84	156.41	158.30	f_3 = 1.0 Hz

(continued....)

(Table 1 continued)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
29	10.0	10000.0	0.1	10.0	50.0	1600.0	0.024	253.1	494.4	Very high clutter to thermal noise and high target to thermal noise ratios.
30	10.0	10000.0	0.1	10.0	100.0	1600.0	0.51	1220.7	1400.7	
31	10.0	10000.0	0.1	10.0	270.0	1600.0	1.91	1454.1	1538.8	
32	10.0	100000.0	0.1	10.0	50.0	1600.0	0.0024	137.3	271.8	
33	10.0	100000.0	0.1	10.0	100.0	1600.0	0.051	1027.1	1340.5	
34	10.0	100000.0	0.1	10.0	270.0	1600.0	0.19	1408.4	1553.0	

FIG. 4·4 RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED
OPTIMUM AND MATCHED FILTER RECEIVERS

FIG.4·5 RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED OPTIMUM AND MATCHED FILTER RECEIVERS
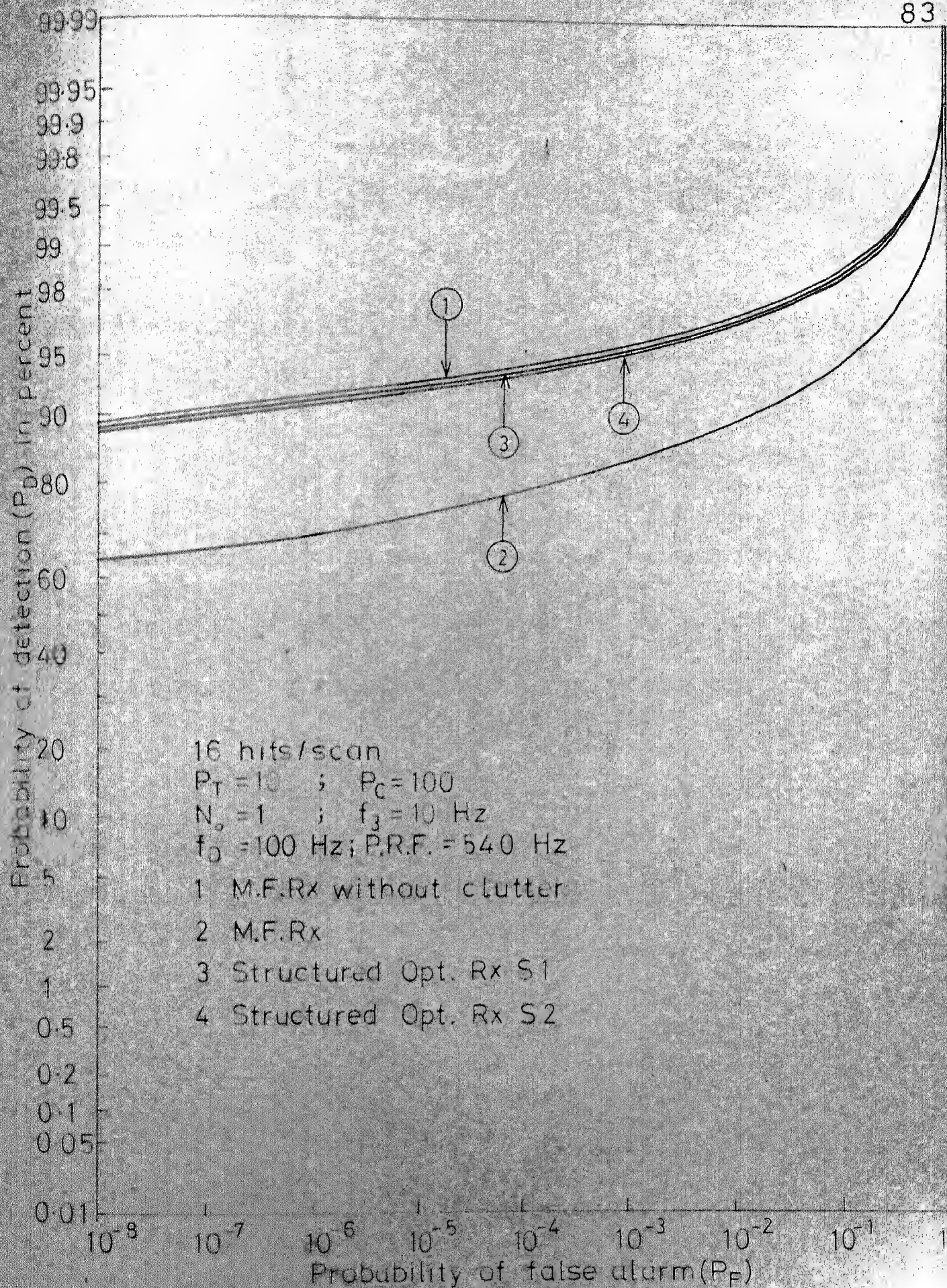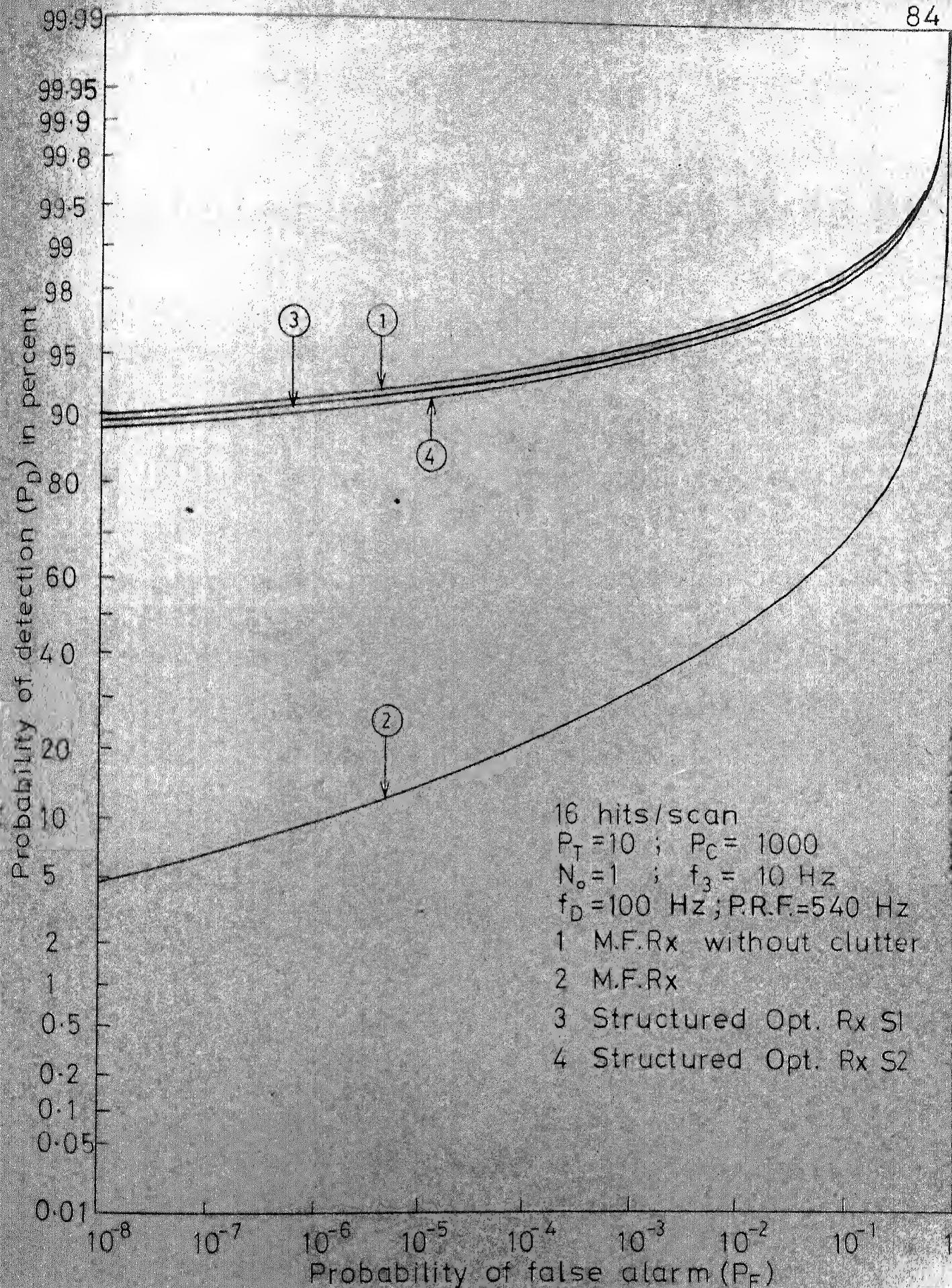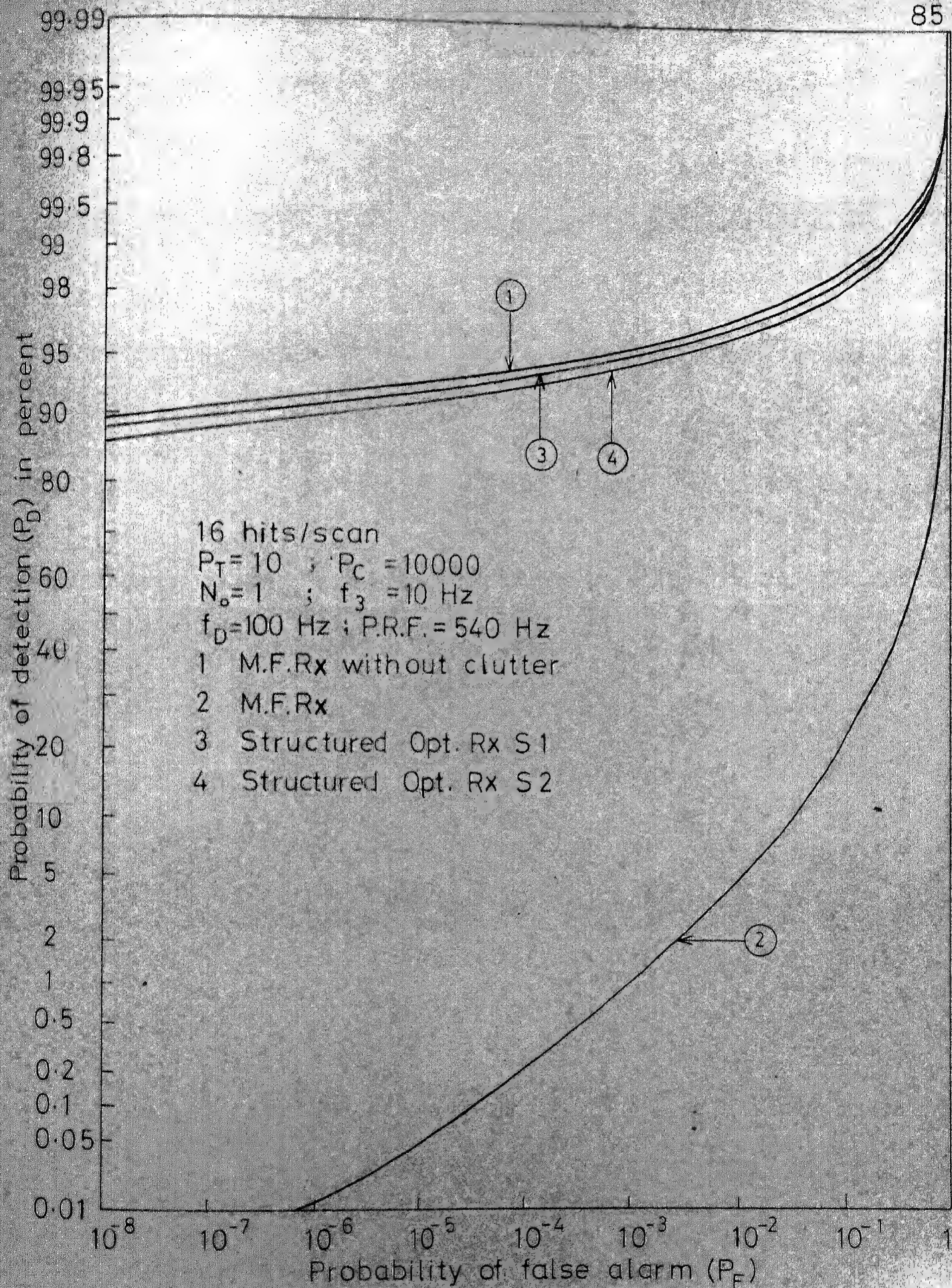
16 hits/scan
$P_T = 10$; $P_C = 100$
$N_o = 1$; $f_3 = 10$ Hz
$f_0 = 100$ Hz; P.R.F. = 540 Hz

1 M.F.Rx without clutter

2 M.F.Rx

3 Structured Opt. Rx S1

4 Structured Opt. Rx S2

FIG. 4·6   RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED
OPTIMUM AND MATCHED FILTER RECEIVERS

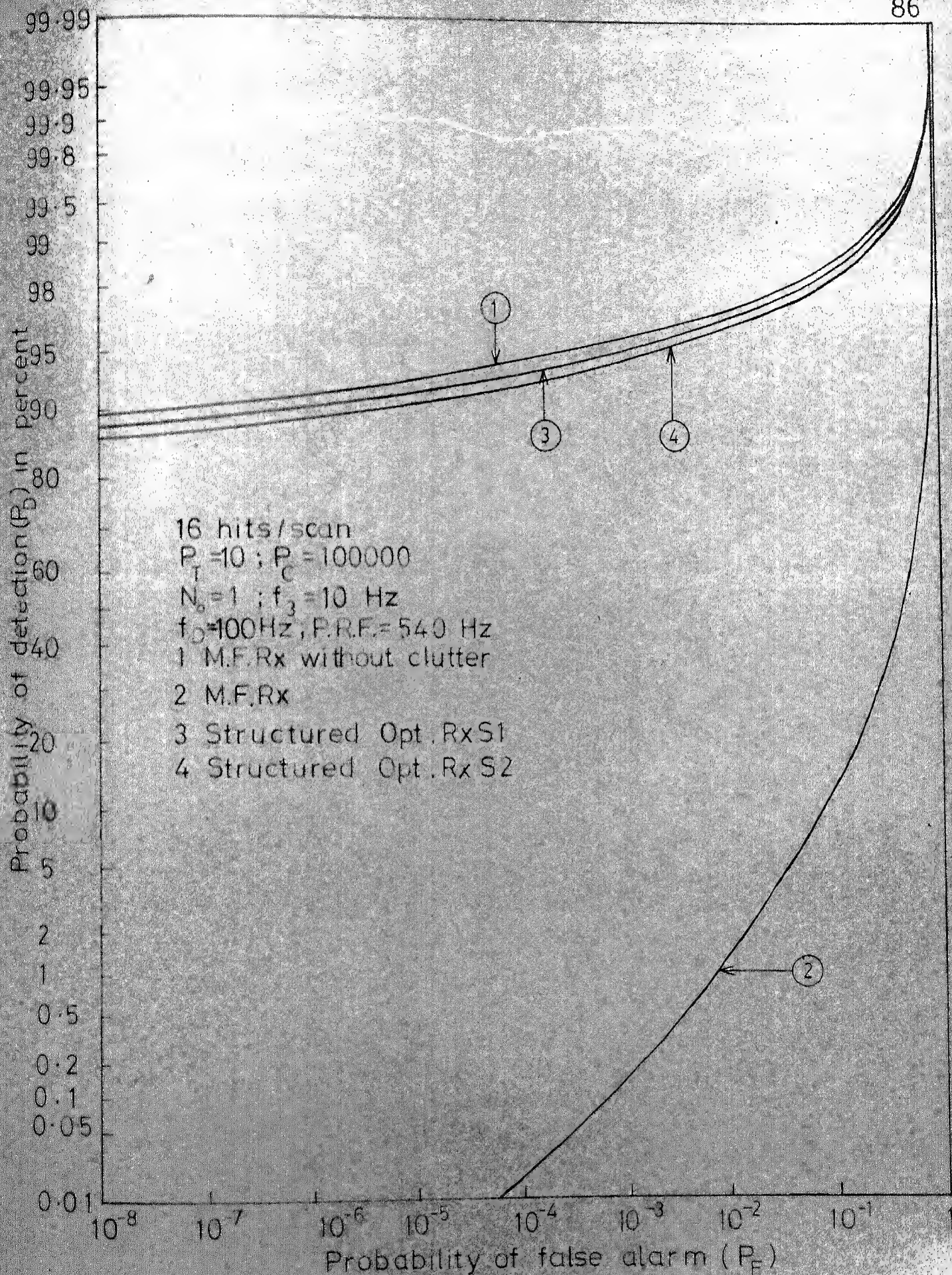FIG. 4.7 RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED OPTIMUM AND MATCHED FILTER RECEIVERS

16 hits/scan
$P_T = 10$; $P_C = 1000$
$N_o = 1$; $f_3 = 10$ Hz
$f_D = 100$ Hz ; P.R.F = 540 Hz
1 M.F.Rx without clutter
2 M.F.Rx
3 Structured Opt. Rx S1
4 Structured Opt. Rx S2

FIG. 4·8 RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED OPTIMUM AND MATCHED FILTER RECEIVERS

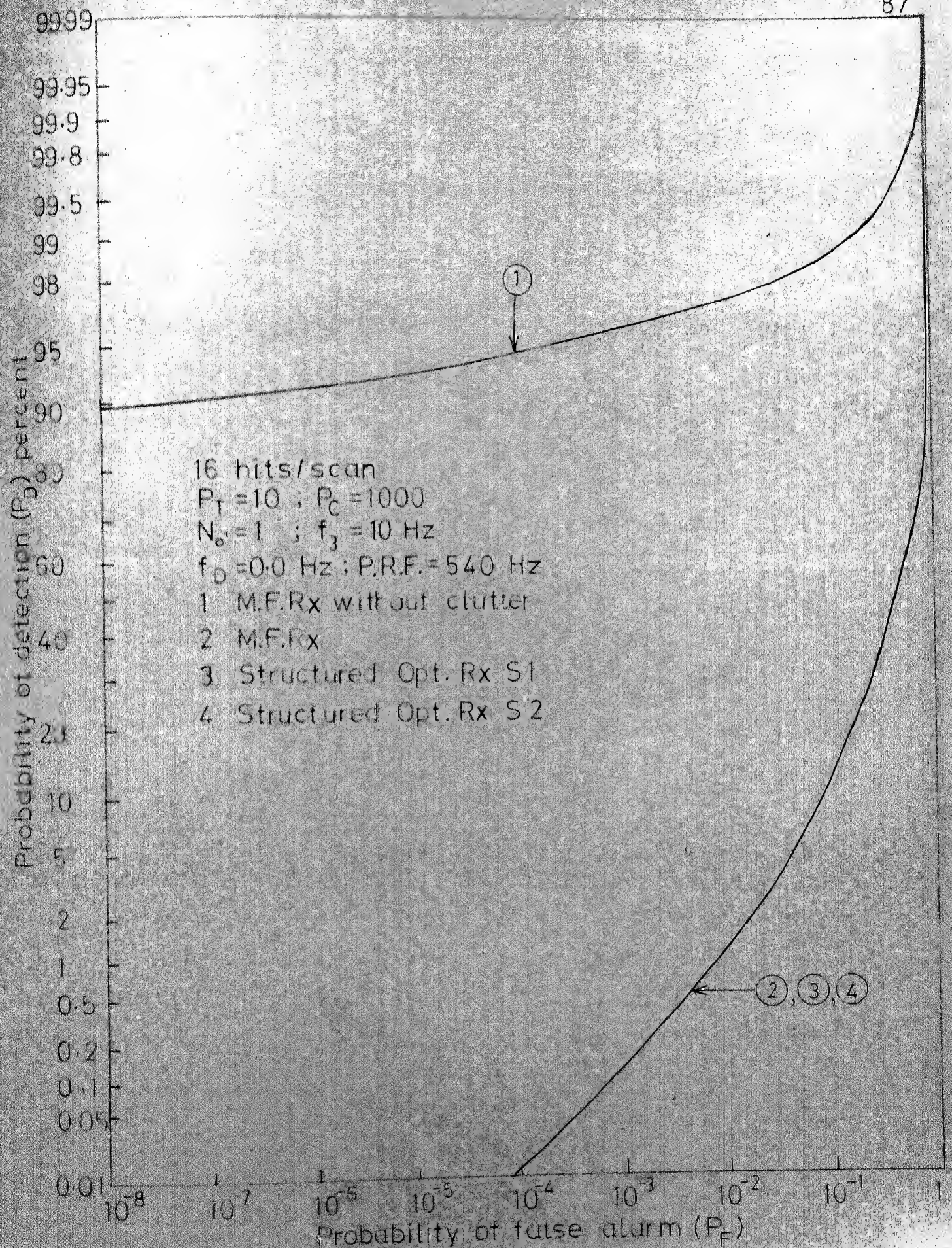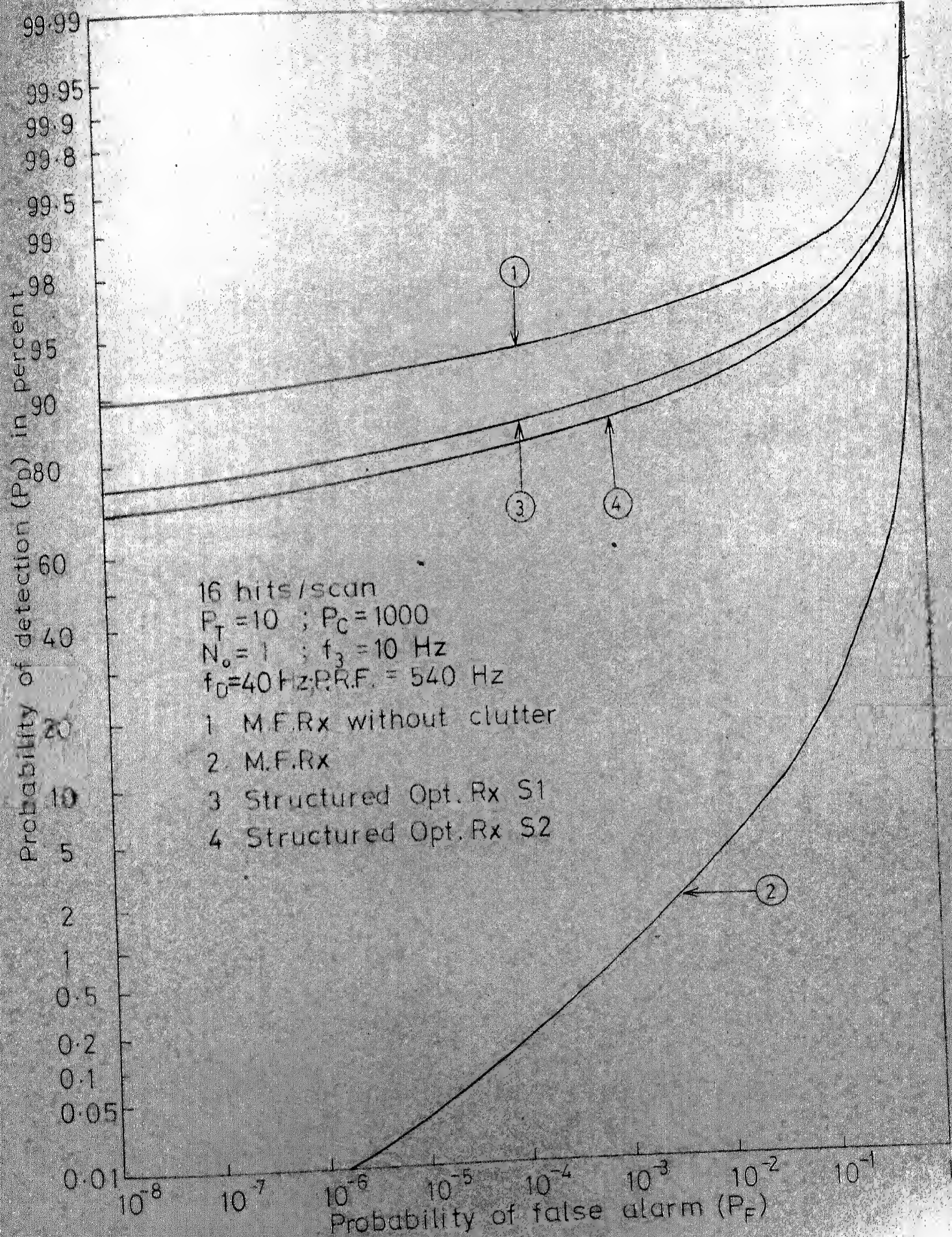FIG.4·9   RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED OPTIMUM AND MATCHED FILTER RECEIVERS

Key inside plot:

Probability of detection(P_D) in percent (y-axis)

Probability of false alarm (P_F) (x-axis)

16 hits/scan
$P_T = 10$; $P_C = 100000$
$N_o = 1$; $f_3 = 10$ Hz
$f_D = 100$Hz , P.R.F.= 540 Hz
1 M.F.Rx without clutter
2 M.F.Rx
3 Structured Opt.Rx S1
4 Structured Opt.Rx S2

FIG.4·10 RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED
OPTIMUM AND MATCHED FILTER RECEIVERS

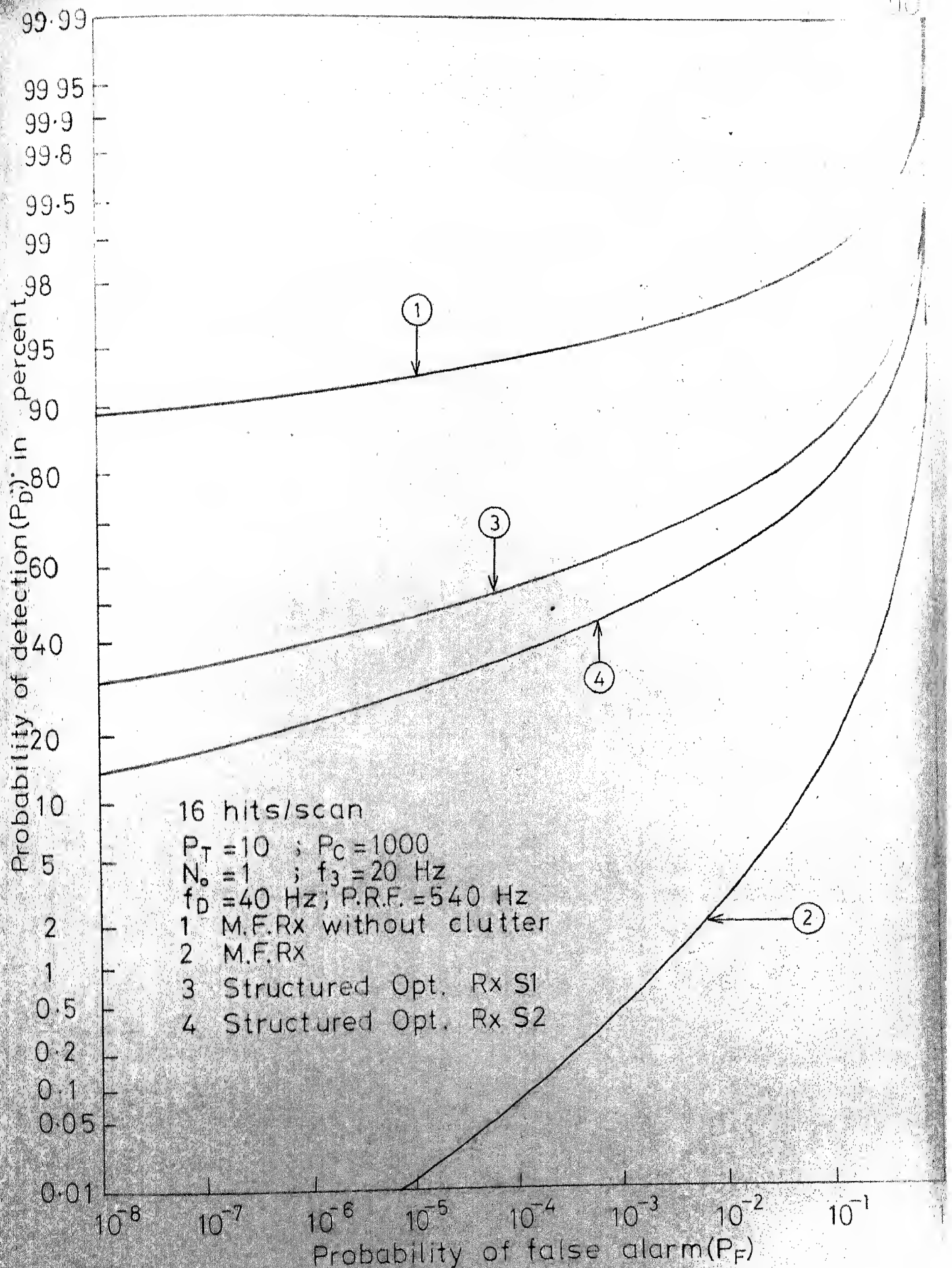FIG. 4.11 RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED OPTIMUM AND MATCHED FILTER RECEIVERS

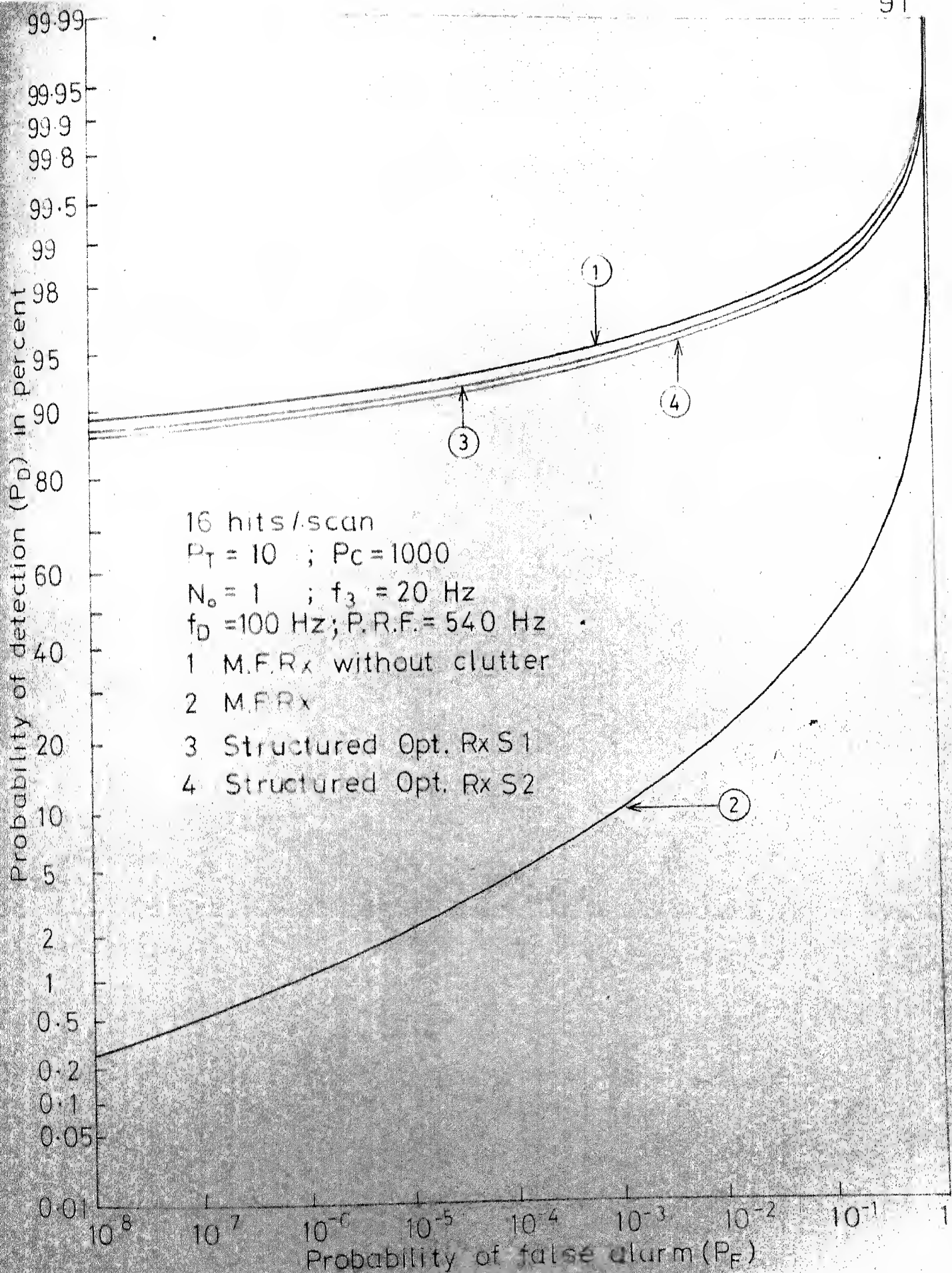FIG.4·13 RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED OPTIMUM AND MATCHED FILTER RECEIVERS

FIG. 4.14 RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED OPTIMUM AND MATCHED FILTER RECEIVRS
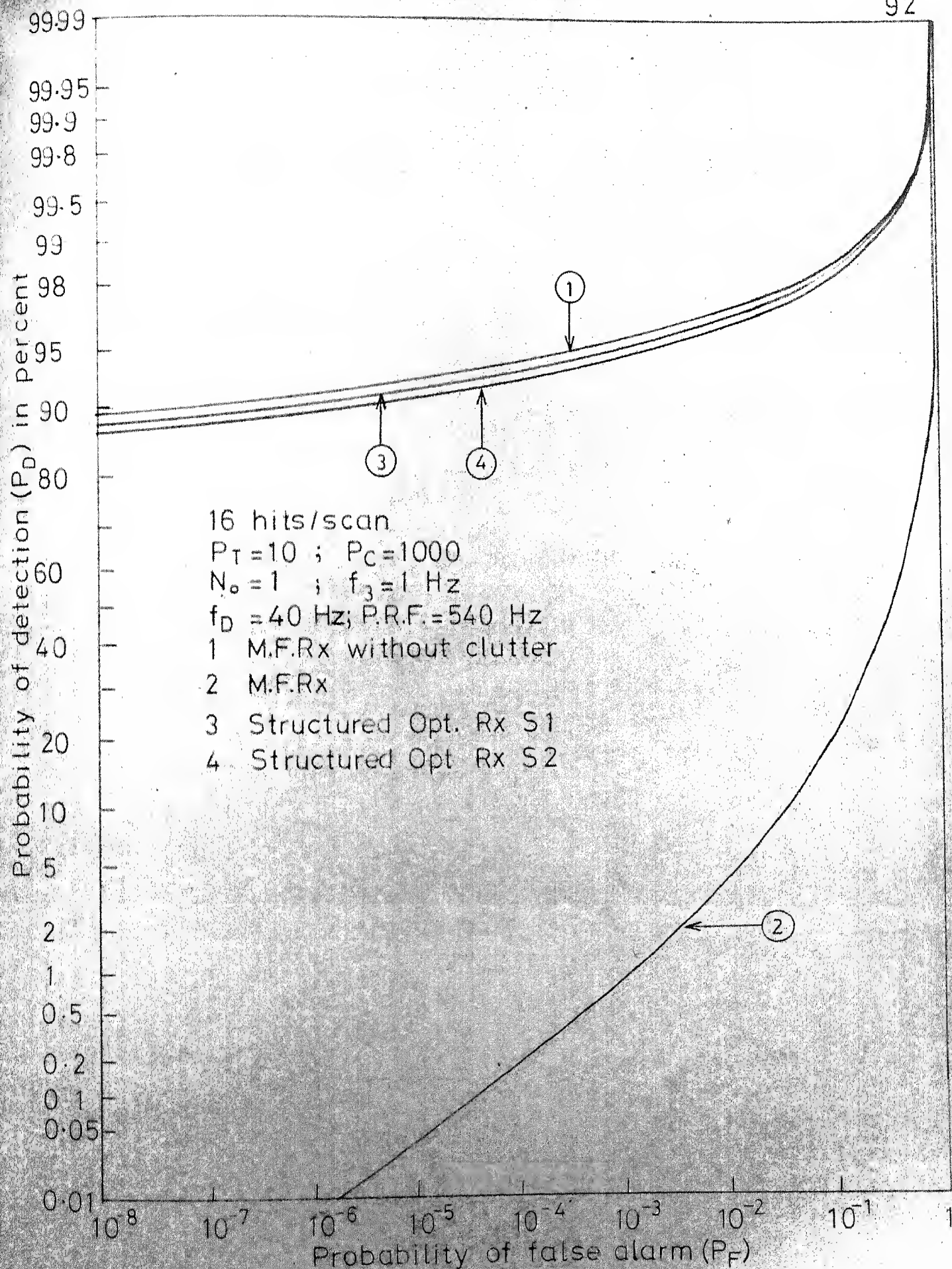
Chart details:

- Y-axis: Probability of detection (P_D) in percent
- X-axis: Probability of false alarm (P_F)

Annotations on chart:

16 hits/scan
$P_T = 10$; $P_c = 1000$
$N_o = 1$; $f_3 = 20$ Hz
$f_D = 100$ Hz ; P.R.F. = 540 Hz
1 M.F.R$_x$ without clutter
2 M.F.R$_x$
3 Structured Opt. Rx S1
4 Structured Opt. Rx S2

FIG. 4.15   RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED OPTIMUM AND MATCHED FILTER RECEIVERS

FIG. 4·16   RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED OPTIMUM AND MATCHED FILTER RECEIVERS
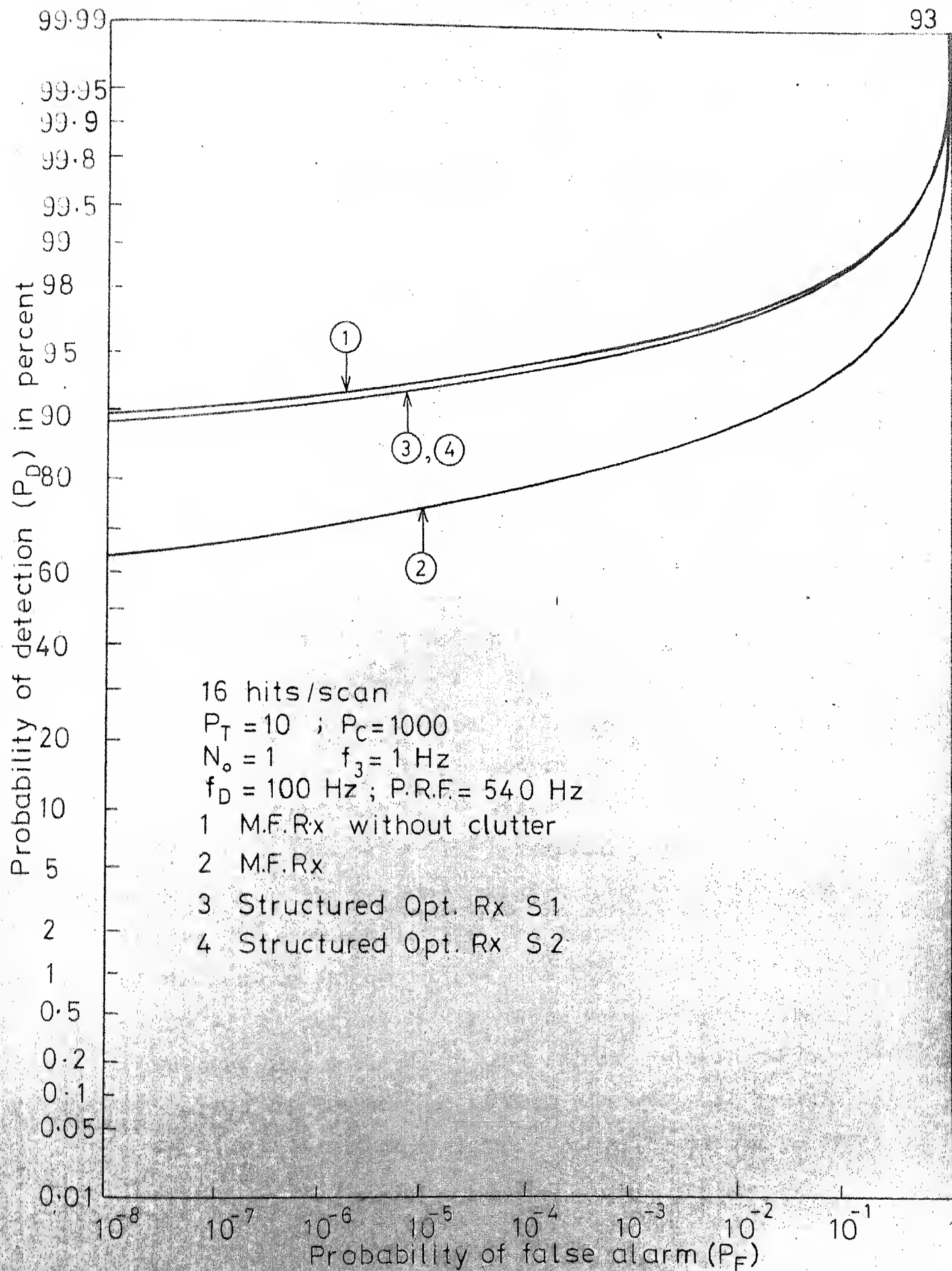
CHAPTER 5

STRUCTURED RECEIVER FORMULATION

In this chapter, we propose a structured receiver,
that in many instances is simpler to implement than the
structured optimum receiver of Chapter 4. This structured
receiver is based on interpreting the maximum entropy
method as an attempt to determine the structure of a
whitening filter for a time series. Again a matched
filter structure is imposed on the receiver for the
reasons stated in Chapter 4. The received signal
is passed through this matched filter (matched to a
single pulse return) and the output of the matched filter
is sampled appropriately for returns corresponding to the
range bin of interest during a particular scan, Further
processing on the resulting samples is done by a whitening
filter. This whitening filter is adaptively estimated
by the maximum entropy method from these samples at the
output of the matched filter during scans when no target
is present or a decision to that effect has been taken.
Of course, the performance of this receiver will be inferior
or at most equal to that of the structured optimum receiver.

In Section 5.1, we propose a structured receiver based on the above whitening filter concept and discuss how this structured receiver can be used for both coherent and noncoherent detection. In Section 5.2 we obtain an expression for the performance of the proposed structured receiver with coherent detection, for Swerling 1 target models. In Section 5.3, we present a generalised procedure and derive formulae to obtain the probability of detection (P_D) and probability of false alarm (P_F) for receivers where correlated complex Gaussian samples are modulus squared and added. This procedure also takes into account the effect of a whitening filter or a moving target indicator (MTI) filter prior to modulus squaring operation. Using this procedure, the P_D and P_F of the proposed structured receiver with noncoherent detection may be calculated. In Section 5.4, we evaluate the performance of such receivers, for both coherent and noncoherent detection, for Swerling 1 target models. Their performance is compared with that of a double line canceller MTI receiver. This is considered appropriate as the structured receivers using noncoherent detection turn out to be similar to an adaptive MTI receiver. Again a large number of receiver operating characteristic (ROC) graphs indicating the performance of such a receiver, under varying conditions of the target, clutter and thermal noise are included in this Section. These ROC's have been obtained by computer simulation and numerical computation.

5.1 Structured Receiver Based on the Whitening Filter
Concept of MEM

The received signal $\tilde{r}(t)$ in (2.30) or (4.1) is passed through a matched filter (matched to a single pulse return) and the output of the matched filter is sampled appropriately for returns corresponding to a single range bin (zero'th range bin in this case) during a particular scan. From (4.12) the resulting hypothesis testing problem for a Swerling 1 target model can be written as

$$\tilde{r}_m = \sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{B}\ \exp(j\omega_D m T_p) + \tilde{I}_m \qquad :H_1$$

$$\tilde{r}_m = \qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad \tilde{I}_m \qquad :H_0$$

$$m = 0,1,\ldots,M\text{-}1 \qquad (5.1)$$

The $\tilde{I}_m$'s constitute a coloured noise time series. As seen in Chapter 2, the maximum entropy method can be viewed as an attempt to determine a filter structure that whitens the observed time series. It can also be interpreted as an attempt to determine a prediction error filter for a given time series. From (2.43), the transfer function $\tilde{H}(f)$ of such a whitening or prediction error filter is given by (in complex envelope notation)

$$\tilde{H}(f) = \sum_{i=0}^{MAX} \tilde{\alpha}_i\ \exp(-j2\pi f i T_p) \qquad (5.2)$$

where $\tilde{\alpha}_0 = 1$. $\tilde{\alpha}_i$'s for $i = 1,2,\ldots,$MAX and MAX are determined by solving (2.44) recursively. In the hypothesis testing

problem of (5.1), $\tilde{\alpha}_i$'s and MAX are determined from $\tilde{r}_m$'s during those scans when there is no target or a decision to that effet has been taken. This is illustrated in Fig. 5.1 where $\tilde{\varepsilon}_m$ is the whitened output of the filter when
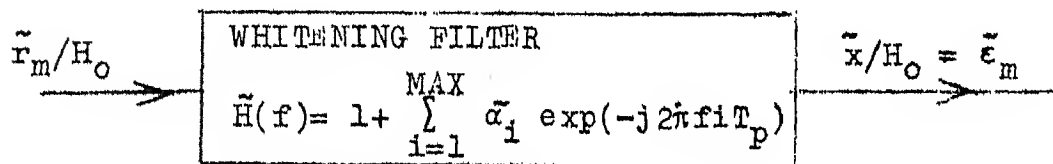
$$\tilde{r}_m/H_o \longrightarrow \boxed{\begin{array}{l} \text{WHITENING FILTER} \\ \tilde{H}(f) = 1 + \sum_{i=1}^{MAX} \tilde{\alpha}_i \, \exp(-j\,2\pi f i T_p) \end{array}} \xrightarrow{\tilde{x}/H_o = \tilde{\varepsilon}_m}$$

Fig.5.1 Interference Whitening Filter
Obtained by MEM (Complex Operations).

the input consists of clutter and thermal noise. Now whether the $\tilde{\varepsilon}_m$'s are actually white noise samples or not depends on the statistics of $\tilde{I}_m$'s and how adequately an autoregressive (AR) model of a finite order can be used to describe the observed time series. In the rest of the discussion throughout this section, $\tilde{\varepsilon}_m$'s are assumed to be white noise samples in the context of the MEM whitening filter. The normalised covariance matrix of $\tilde{\varepsilon}_m$'s is therefore assumed to be an identity matrix. However, in Sections 5.2 - 5.4, when we evaluate the performance of structured receivers, the whitening filter is taken to be just a linear filter following the matched filter. In the current scan, when hypothesis H_1 or H_0 is being tested, the $\tilde{r}_m$'s are sent through this whitening filter. Let $\tilde{x}_m$ denote

the output of the whitening filter. During the initialisation phase, to obtain $\tilde{x}_m$'s for m = 0, 1, ... (MAX-1), the past values of $\tilde{r}_m$'s for m = -1, -2, ... -(MAX), are required. As these are not known, two variations of the hypothesis testing problem follow. The first variation is to assume the past values of $\tilde{r}_m$'s for m = -1,-2,...-(MAX) to be equal to their mean or expected value $E[\tilde{r}_m]$. This is equal to zero as the samples are zero mean random variables. Then the hypothesis testing problem becomes,

$$\tilde{x}_m = \sqrt{E}_t \sum_{\substack{i=0 \\ i \leq m}}^{MAX} \tilde{\alpha}_i \, \tilde{B} \, \exp(j \, \omega_D(m-i)T_p) + \tilde{\epsilon}_m \qquad :H_1$$

$$\tilde{x}_m = \qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad \tilde{\epsilon}_m \qquad :H_0$$

$$\text{where} \quad \tilde{\alpha}_0 = 1 \text{ and } m = 0,1,...,M-1 \qquad (5.3)$$

This hypothesis testing problem will be denoted as hypothesis testing problem A.

The second variation is to ignore the first (MAX-1) samples at the output of the whitening filter and test for hypothesis H_1 or H_0 only from m = MAX, MAX+1,..., M-1. This calls for no assumption, but the entire available data containing target information is not being utilised. This hypothesis testing problem can be stated as

$$\tilde{x}_m = \sqrt{E_t} \sum_{i=0}^{MAX} \tilde{\alpha}_i \tilde{B} \exp(j \omega_D(m-i)T_p) + \tilde{\epsilon}_m \qquad :H_1$$

$$\tilde{x}_m = \tilde{\epsilon}_m \qquad :H_0$$

where $\tilde{\alpha}_0 = 1$ and $m = MAX, MAX+1, \ldots, M-1$ (5.4)

This hypothesis testing problem will be denoted as hypothesis testing problem B. The difference in performance of structured receivers based on hypotheses testing problems A and B respectively, is brought out clearly in Section 5.4.

The hypotheses testing problems of (5.3) and (5.4) can now be easily solved. We will consider the structured receiver for the following cases:

(a) <u>Hypothesis testing problem A with coherent detection.</u> Hypothesis testing problem A is solved using the Neyman-Pearson criterion for optimisation. A similar hypothesis testing problem has been solved in Section 4.2. Using the same procedure the decision rule can be stated as

$$\left| \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{x}_m \tilde{s}_m^* \right|^2 \mathop{\gtrless}_{H_0}^{H_1} \eta_T \qquad (5.5)$$

where $\tilde{s}_m = \sum_{\substack{i=0 \\ i \le m}}^{MAX} \tilde{\alpha}_i \exp(j\omega_D(m-i)T_p)$.

The structured receiver corresponding to (5.5) is denoted as structured receiver A1 and is shown in Fig. 5.2.

(b) <u>Hypothesis testing problem A with noncoherent</u> <u>(square law) detection</u>. In this case the decision rule is stated as

$$\sum_{m=0}^{M-1} |\tilde{x}_m|^2 \underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} \eta_T \qquad (5.6)$$

This decision rule is simpler to implement than (5.5). The structured receiver corresponding to (5.6) is denoted as structured receiver A2 and is shown in Fig. 5.3.

(c) <u>Hypothesis testing problem B with coherent detection</u>. This hypothesis testing problem is solved using the Neyman-Pearson criterion for optimisation. A similar hypothesis testing problem has been solved in Section 4.2. Using the same procedure, the decision rule can be stated as

$$|\sum_{m=MAX}^{M-1} \tilde{x}_m \vec{s}_m^*|^2 \underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} \eta_T \qquad (5.7)$$

where $\tilde{s}_m = \sum_{i=0}^{MAX} \tilde{\alpha}_i \exp(j\omega_D(m-i)T_p)$; $m \geq MAX$

The structured receiver corresponding to (5.7) is denoted as structured receiver B1 and is shown in Fig. 5.4.

(d) <u>Hypothesis testing problem B with noncoherent</u> <u>detection</u>. In this case the decision rule is stated as

$$\sum_{m=MAX}^{M-1} |\tilde{x}_m|^2 \underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} \eta_T \qquad (5.8)$$
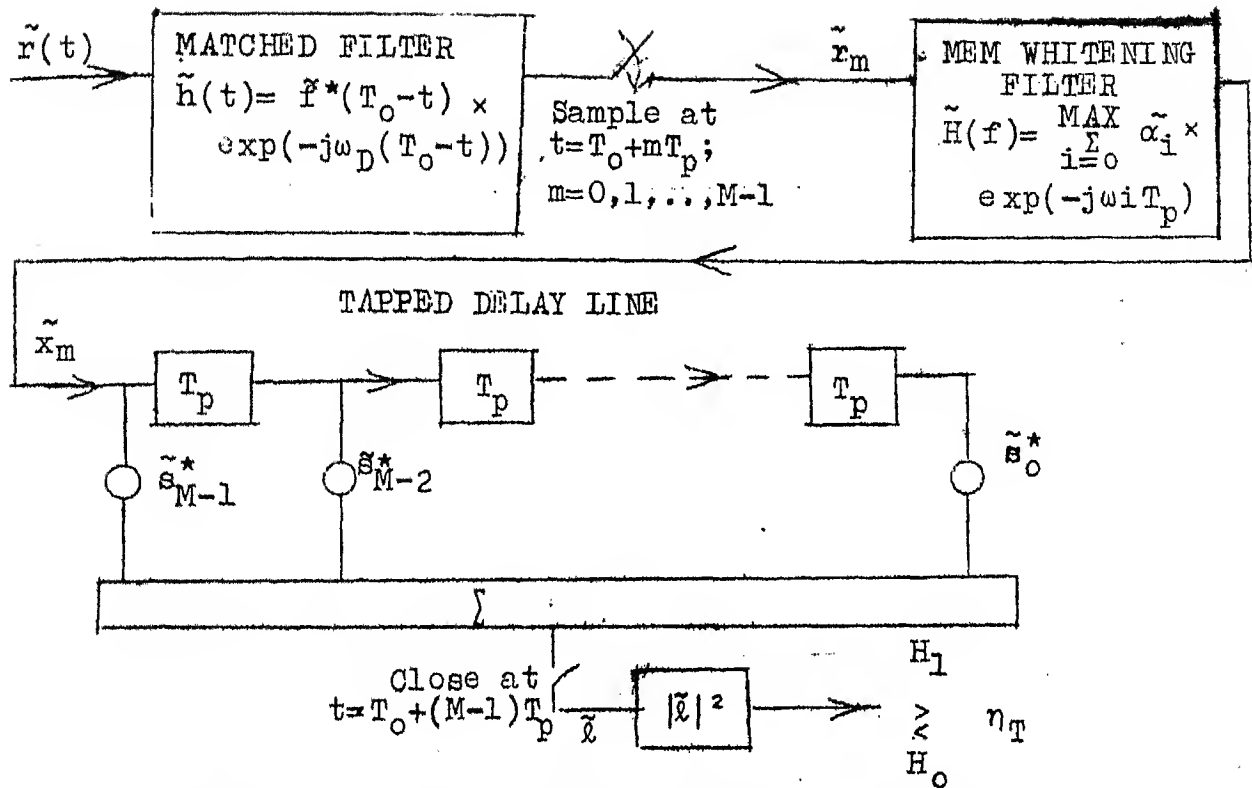
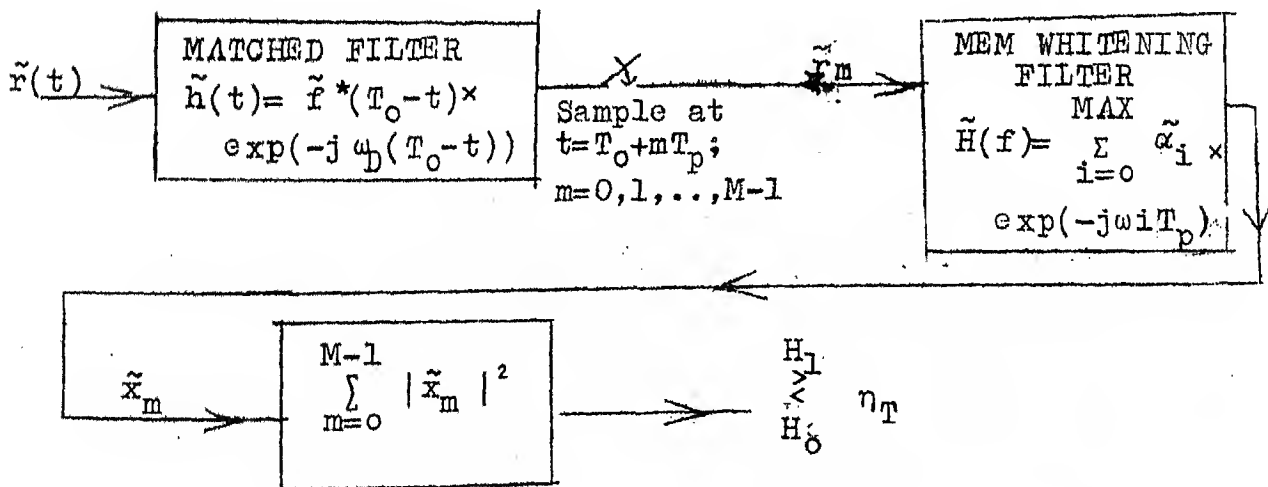Fig.5.2 Structured Receiver A1 (Complex Operations).

Fig. 5.3 Structured Receiver A2 (Complex Operations).
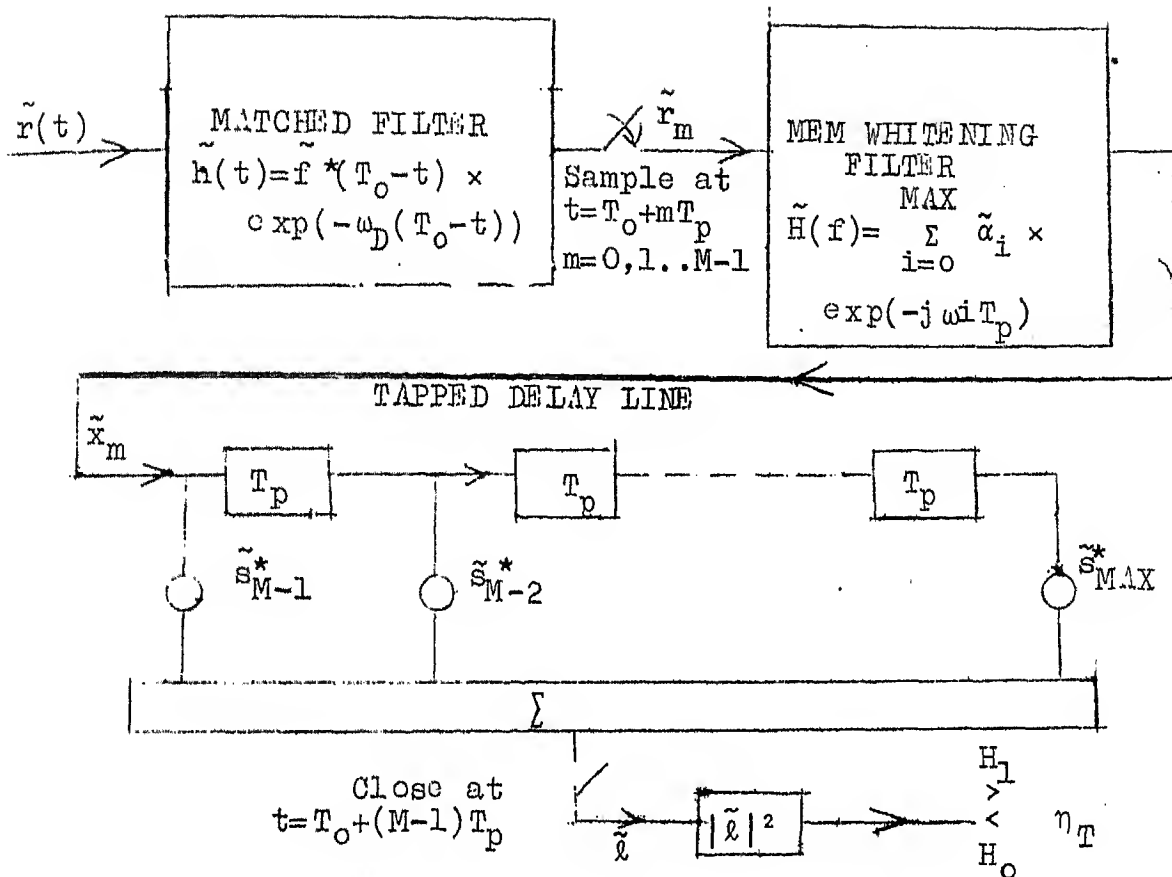
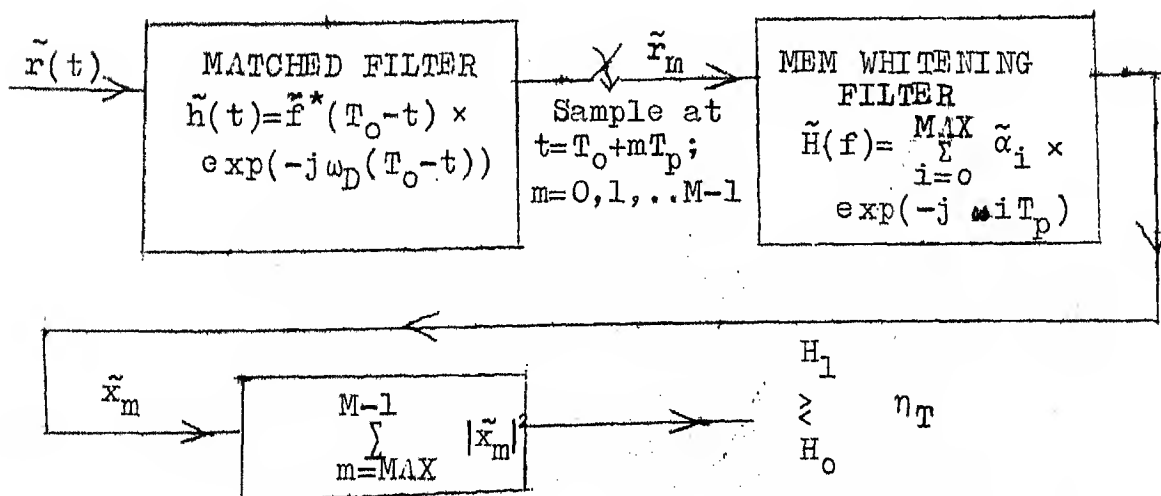Fig.5.4 Structured Receiver B1(Complex Operations).

Fig.5.5 Structured Receiver B2 (Complex Operations).

Again this decision rule is simpler to implement than (5.7).
The structured receiver corresponding to (5.8) is denoted
as structured receiver B2 and is shown in Fig. 5.5.

5.2 Performance of the Structured Receiver with Coherent Detection

In calculating the performance of the structured
receiver, the whitening filter is taken to be just a linear
filter with transfer function given by (5.2).

From (5.5) and (5.7), the decision rule is given by

$$|\tilde{\ell}|^2 = |\sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{x}_m \tilde{s}_m^*|^2 \quad \underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} \quad \eta_T \quad \text{for structured receiver A1}$$

where $\quad \tilde{s}_m = \sum_{\substack{i=0 \\ i\leq m}}^{MAX} \tilde{\alpha}_i \exp(j\omega_D(m-i)T_p)$

and

$$|\tilde{\ell}|^2 = |\sum_{m=MAX}^{M-1} \tilde{x}_m \tilde{s}_m^*|^2 \quad \underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} \quad \eta_T \quad \text{for structured receiver B1}$$

where $\quad \tilde{s}_m = \sum_{i=0}^{MAX} \tilde{\alpha}_i \exp(j\omega_D(m-i)T_p) \quad ; \quad m \geq MAX$

$\tilde{\ell}$ is a sufficient statistic and is a complex Gaussian
random variable. In such a case from Section 4.3, we have

$$P_F = (P_D)^{1+\Delta} \quad \text{where} \quad \Delta = \frac{E[\,|\tilde{\ell}|^2/H_1\,] - E[\,|\tilde{\ell}|^2/H_0\,]}{E[\,|\tilde{\ell}|^2/H_0\,]} \tag{5.9}$$

Define

$$\tilde{x} = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x}_0 \\ \tilde{x}_1 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \tilde{x}_{M-1} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \tilde{x}_{TR} = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x}_{MAX} \\ \tilde{x}_{MAX+1} \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \tilde{x}_{M-1} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \tilde{s} = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{s}_0 \\ \tilde{s}_1 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \tilde{s}_{M-1} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \tilde{s}_{TR} = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{s}_{MAX} \\ \tilde{s}_{MAX+1} \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \tilde{s}_{M-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

(5.10)

$\tilde{r}$ is as defined in (4.13).

From (5.3) we observe that

$$\tilde{x} = \tilde{F} \tilde{r} \tag{5.11a}$$

where

$$\tilde{F} \triangleq \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{\alpha}_0 & & & & & \\ \tilde{\alpha}_1 & \tilde{\alpha}_0 & & & & 0 \\ \tilde{\alpha}_2 & \tilde{\alpha}_1 & \tilde{\alpha}_0 & & & \\ \cdot & & & & & \\ \cdot & & & & & \\ \cdot & & & & & \\ \tilde{\alpha}_{MAX} & \tilde{\alpha}_{MAX-1} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \tilde{\alpha}_0 \\ & & & & & \\ 0 & & \tilde{\alpha}_{MAX} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \tilde{\alpha}_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

(5.11b)

$$E[\tilde{x}\,\tilde{x}^{*\,T}] = E[\tilde{F}\,\tilde{r}\,\tilde{r}^{*\,T}\,\tilde{F}^{*\,T}] = \tilde{F}\,E[\tilde{r}\,\tilde{r}^{*\,T}]\tilde{F}^{*\,T} \qquad (5.12)$$

From (5.4) we again observe that

$$\tilde{x}_{TR} = \tilde{F}_{TR}\,\tilde{r}$$

where

$$\tilde{F}_{TR} = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{\alpha}_{MAX} & \cdots & \tilde{\alpha}_{o} & & & \\ & & & & 0 & \\ & 0 & & & & \\ & & & \tilde{\alpha}_{MAX} & \cdots & \tilde{\alpha}_{o} \end{bmatrix} \quad (M\text{-}MAX)\text{x}M$$

$$(5.13b)$$

$$E[\tilde{x}_{TR}\,\tilde{x}_{TR}^{*\,T}] = \tilde{F}_{TR}\,E[\tilde{r}\,\tilde{r}^{*\,T}]\tilde{F}_{TR}^{*\,T} \qquad (5.14)$$

Proceeding along the same lines as in Section 4.3 and using the same notation for the target and interference covariance matrix, we have.

For structured receiver A1,

$$E[\,|\tilde{\ell}|^{2}/H_{o}] = 2\beta^{2}\,\tilde{s}^{*\,T}\,\tilde{F}\,\tilde{\Lambda}_{I}\,\tilde{F}^{*\,T}\,\tilde{s} \qquad (5.15)$$

and

$$E[\,|\tilde{\ell}|^{2}/H_{1}] = 2\sigma_{B}^{2}\,E_{t}\,\tilde{s}^{*\,T}\,\tilde{F}\,\tilde{\Lambda}_{T}\,\tilde{F}^{*\,T}\,\tilde{s} + 2\beta^{2}\,\tilde{s}^{*\,T}\,\tilde{F}\,\tilde{\Lambda}_{I}\,\tilde{F}^{*\,T}\,\tilde{s} \qquad (5.16)$$

and

$$\Delta_{A1} = \frac{2\sigma_B^2 E_t \, \tilde{s}^{*T} \, \tilde{F} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_T \, \tilde{F}^{*T} \, \tilde{s}}{2\beta^2 \, \tilde{s}^{*T} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_I \, \tilde{F}^{*T} \, \tilde{s}} = \frac{2\sigma_B^2 E_t \, \tilde{s}^{*T} \, \tilde{F} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_T \, \tilde{F}^{*T} \, \tilde{s}}{(2h^2 E_t + N_0)\tilde{s}^{*T} \, \tilde{F} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_I \, \tilde{F}^{*T} \, \tilde{s}}$$

$$(5.17)$$

For structured receiver B1,

$$[E[\, |\tilde{\ell}|^2/H_0] = 2\beta^2 \, \tilde{s}_{TR}^{*T} \, \tilde{F}_{TR} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_I \, \tilde{F}_{TR}^{*T} \, \tilde{s}_{TR} \qquad (5.18)$$

and

$$E[| \, \tilde{\ell}|^2/H_1] = 2\sigma_B^2 E_t \, \tilde{s}_{TR}^{*T} \, \tilde{F}_{TR} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_T \, \tilde{F}_{TR}^{*T} \, \tilde{s}_{TR}$$

$$+ 2\beta^2 \, \tilde{s}_{TR}^{*T} \, \tilde{F}_{TR} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_I \, \tilde{F}_{TR}^{*T} \, \tilde{s}_{TR} \qquad (5.19)$$

and

$$\Delta_{B1} = \frac{2\sigma_B^2 E_t \, \tilde{s}_{TR}^{*T} \, \tilde{F}_{TR} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_T \, \tilde{F}_{TR}^{*T} \, \tilde{s}_{TR}}{2\beta^2 \, \tilde{s}_{TR}^{*T} \, \tilde{F}_{TR} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_I \, \tilde{F}_{TR}^{*T} \, \tilde{s}_{TR}} = \frac{2\sigma_B^2 E_t \, \tilde{s}_{TR}^{*T} \, \tilde{F}_{TR} \, \tilde{\Lambda}_T \, \tilde{F}_{TR}^{*T} \, \tilde{s}_{TR}}{(2h^2 E_t + N_0)\tilde{s}_{TR}^{*T} \, \tilde{F}_{TR} \tilde{\Lambda}_I \tilde{F}_{TR}^{*T} \tilde{s}_{TR}}$$

$$(5.20)$$

Again $2\sigma_B^2 E_t$ and $2\beta^2$ are the expected values of the target and interference power in each sample respectively.

5.3 A Generalised Procedure to Calculate P_D and P_F for Receivers where the Sufficient Statistic is obtained by a Summation of Modulus Squared Correlated Jointly Complex Gaussian Random Variables.

In this section, the expressions for P_D and P_F for receivers with the general configuration shown in Fig. 5.6 are derived. $\tilde{r}(t)$ is a complex Gaussian random process under both hypotheses H_1 and H_0 respectively and y is a sufficient statistic.
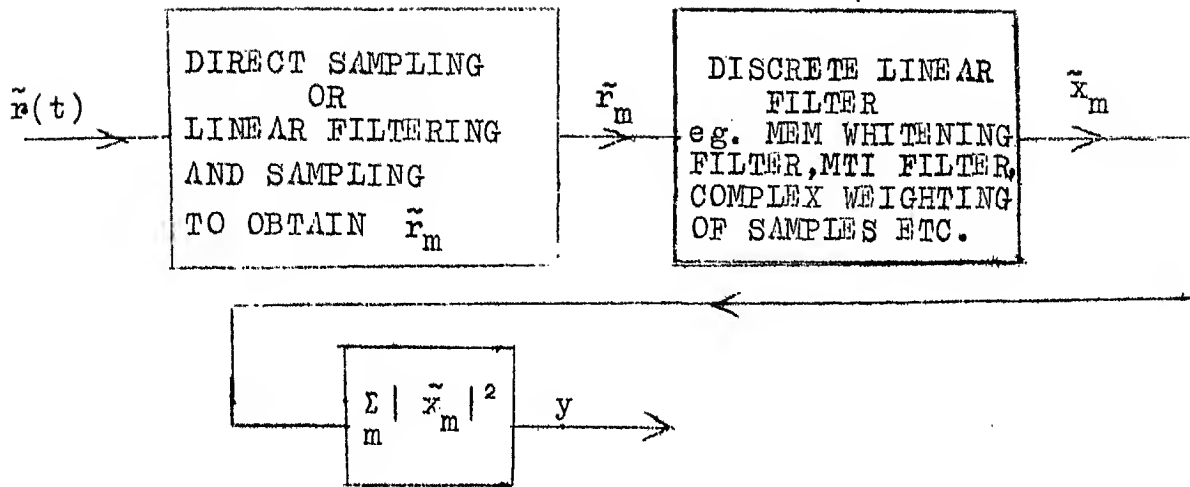
Fig.5.6 General Configuration of the Receiver
(Complex Operations) for which P_D and P_F
Expressions are obtained.

We follow the same notation as in Section 5.2, and proceed with the derivation using the statistics of $\tilde{r}_m$'s. Under hypothesis H_0, let

$$\tilde{r}_m = \tilde{I}_m , \qquad m = 0,1,\ldots,M\text{-}1 \qquad (5.21)$$

and under hypothesis H_1, let

$$\tilde{r}_m = \sqrt{E}_t \, \tilde{B} \, \tilde{u}_m + \tilde{I}_m , \qquad m = 0,1,\ldots,M\text{-}1 \qquad (5.22)$$

where $\tilde{I}_m$'s are jointly complex Gaussian random variables and constitute the correlated interference samples and $\tilde{B}$ is a complex Gaussian random variable and $\sqrt{E}_t \, \tilde{B} \, \tilde{u}_m$ constitutes the signal samples. $\tilde{B}$ and $\tilde{I}_m$'s are independent. Therefore,

$\tilde{r}_m$'s under both hypotheses H_0 and H_1 are jointly complex Gaussian random variables. Again following the same notation as in Section 5.2, let

$$\tilde{I} = [\tilde{I}_0 \cdots \tilde{I}_{M-1}]^T, \quad \tilde{u} = [\tilde{u}_0 \cdots \tilde{u}_{M-1}]^T, \quad \tilde{r} = [\tilde{r}_0 \cdots \tilde{r}_{M-1}]^T$$

and

$$E[\tilde{I}] = 0, \quad E[\tilde{B}] = 0, \quad E[|\tilde{B}|^2] = 2\sigma_B^2, \quad E[\tilde{I}\ \tilde{I}^{*T}] = 2\beta^2 \tilde{A}_I \tag{5.23}$$

Equations (5.21) and (5.22) can be written as

$$\tilde{r} = \sqrt{E_t}\ \tilde{B}\ \tilde{u} + \tilde{I} \qquad : H_1$$
$$\tilde{r} = \qquad\qquad \tilde{I} \qquad : H_0 \tag{5.24}$$

where $\quad E[(\tilde{r}\ \tilde{r}^{*T})/H_0] = 2\beta^2 \tilde{A}_I$

and $\quad E[(\tilde{r}\ \tilde{r}^{*T})/H_1] = 2\sigma_B^2 E_t\ \tilde{u}\ \tilde{u}^{*T} + 2\beta^2 \tilde{A}_I = 2\gamma^2 A_R$

$2\beta^2$ represents the expected value of the interference power in each sample. $2\gamma^2$ represents the expected value of the combined signal and interference power in each sample when the signal is present.

We now have the following joint density functions,

$$p_{\tilde{r}/H_0}(\tilde{r}/H_0) = \frac{1}{(2\pi\beta^2)^M \operatorname{Det}(\tilde{A}_I)} \exp[-\frac{1}{2\beta^2}(\tilde{r}^{*T} \tilde{A}_I^{-1}\ \tilde{r})] \tag{5.25}$$

and

$$p_{\tilde{r}/H_1}(\tilde{r}/H_1) = \frac{1}{(2\pi\gamma^2)^M \operatorname{Det}(\tilde{A}_R)} \exp[-\frac{1}{2\gamma^2}(\tilde{r}^{*T} \tilde{A}_R^{-1}\ \tilde{r})] \tag{5.26}$$

When no output samples are ignored, the discrete linear
filter (Whitening, MTI etc.) output may be described by
means of an MxM transfer matrix F such that

$$\tilde{x} = \tilde{F} \, \tilde{r} \qquad \text{where} \qquad \tilde{x} = [\tilde{x}_0, \; \ldots, \; \tilde{x}_{M-1}]^T \qquad (5.27)$$

When the first M-p output samples are ignored, the required
filter output may be described by means of a pxM transfer
matrix $\tilde{F}_{TR}$ such that

$$\tilde{x}_{TR} = \tilde{F}_{TR} \, \tilde{r} \qquad \text{where} \qquad \tilde{x}_{TR} = [\tilde{x}_{M-p}, \; \ldots, \; \tilde{x}_{M-1}]^T \qquad (5.28)$$

For structured receivers A2 and B2 of Section 5.1, F and
F_{TR} are as defined in (5.11) and (5.13) respectively. When
no filter is used, $\tilde{F}$ and $\tilde{F}_{TR}$ are identity matrices. In
the case of complex weighting of the samples, $\tilde{F}$ and $\tilde{F}_{TR}$
are diagonal matrices with different weights on the diagonal.

Without loss of generality, we proceed to calculate,
P_D and P_F for the case represented by (5.27).

Then, the joint density function of $\tilde{x}_m$'s is given by

$$P_{\tilde{x}/H_0}(\tilde{x}/H_0) = \frac{1}{(2\pi\beta^2)^M \, Det(\tilde{D}_I)} \, \exp[- \frac{1}{2\beta^2}(\tilde{x}^{*T} \, \tilde{D}_I^{-1} \, \tilde{x})] \qquad (5.29)$$

and

$$P_{\tilde{x}/H_1}(\tilde{x}/H_1) = \frac{1}{(2\pi\gamma^2)^M \, Det(\tilde{D}_R)} \, \exp[- \frac{1}{2\gamma^2}(\tilde{x}^{*T} \, \tilde{D}_R^{-1} \, \tilde{x}) \qquad (5.30)$$

where

$$\tilde{D}_I = \tilde{F} \tilde{\Lambda}_I \tilde{F}^{*T} \qquad \text{and} \qquad \tilde{D}_R = \tilde{F} \tilde{\Lambda}_R \tilde{F}^{*T} \qquad (5.31)$$

The output of the summer/integrator is given by

$$y = \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} |\tilde{x}_m|^2 = \tilde{x}^{*T} \tilde{x} \qquad (5.32)$$

$\tilde{D}_R$ and $\tilde{D}_I$ are Hermitian matrices and both are positive definite. They may be diagonalised by solving the eigenvalue problems

$$\tilde{D}_I \tilde{L}_I^{(k)} = \lambda_k \tilde{L}_I^{(k)} \quad ; \quad k = 0,1,\ldots,M-1 \qquad (5.33)$$

and

$$\tilde{D}_R \tilde{L}_R^{(k)} = \mu_k \tilde{L}_R^{(k)} \quad ; \quad k = 0,1,\ldots,M-1 \qquad (5.34)$$

The eigenvalues λ_k's and μ_k's will be real and positive. $\tilde{L}_I^{(k)}$'s and $\tilde{L}_R^{(k)}$'s are their corresponding eigenvectors. In (5.33), if all the eigenvalues are distinct, the eigenvectors are orthogonal and can be made orthonormal. If there are repeated eigenvalues, the corresponding eigenvectors will not be orthogonal, but as $\tilde{D}_I$ is Hermitian, these eigenvectors will be linearly independent. These eigenvectors can then be transformed into orthonormal vectors using the Gram-Schmidt orthonormalisation procedure. Therefore, in general we assume that $\tilde{L}_I^{(k)}$'s are orthonormal for $k = 0,1,\ldots,M-1$. The same argument holds true for the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of (5.34).

Let

$$\tilde{B}_I \;=\; \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{L}_I^{(0)} & \cdots & \tilde{L}_I^{(M-1)} \end{bmatrix}$$

and

$$\tilde{L}_R \;=\; \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{L}_R^{(0)} & \cdots & \tilde{L}_R^{(M-1)} \end{bmatrix} \tag{5.35}$$

Then from elementary matrix theory,

$$\tilde{L}_I^{*\,T}\,\tilde{D}_I\,\tilde{L}_I \;=\; \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_0 & & & \\ & \lambda_1 & & 0 \\ & & \ddots & \\ & 0 & & \lambda_{M-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

and

$$\tilde{L}_R^{*\,T}\,\tilde{D}_R\,\tilde{L}_R \;=\; \begin{bmatrix} \mu_0 & & & \\ & \mu_1 & & 0 \\ & & \ddots & \\ & 0 & & \mu_{M-1} \end{bmatrix} \tag{5.36}$$

We make the following transformations in (5.32):

$$\tilde{z} = \tilde{L}_I^{*T} \tilde{x} \qquad \text{when } H_0 \text{ is true} \tag{5.37}$$

and

$$\tilde{z} = \tilde{L}_R^{*T} \tilde{x} \qquad \text{when } H_1 \text{ is true} \tag{5.38}$$

where $\tilde{z} = [\tilde{z}_0, \tilde{z}_1, \ldots, \tilde{z}_{M-1}]^T$

The summer output in the both cases can be represented by

$$y = \tilde{x}^{*T} \tilde{x} = \tilde{z}^{*T} \tilde{z} = \sum_{k=0}^{M-1} |\tilde{z}_k|^2 \tag{5.39}$$

However, the joint density function of $\tilde{z}$ when H_0 is true $(p_{\tilde{z}/H_0}(\tilde{z}/H_0))$ is given by

$$p_{\tilde{z}/H_0}(\tilde{z}/H_0) = \frac{1}{(2\pi\beta^2)^M \prod_{k=0}^{M-1} \lambda_k} \exp\left(- \frac{1}{2\beta^2} \sum_{k=0}^{M-1} \frac{|\tilde{z}_k|^2}{\lambda_k}\right) \tag{5.40}$$

and the joint density function of $\tilde{z}$ when H_1 is true $(p_{\tilde{z}/H_1}(\tilde{z}/H_1))$ is given by

$$p_{\tilde{z}/H_1}(\tilde{z}/H_1) = \frac{1}{(2\pi\gamma^2)^M \prod_{k=0}^{M-1} \mu_k} \exp\left(- \frac{1}{2\gamma^2} \sum_{k=0}^{M-1} \frac{|\tilde{z}_k|^2}{\mu_k}\right) \tag{5.41}$$

The complex Gaussian vector $\tilde{z}$ consists of M independent complex Gaussian random variables $\tilde{z}_k$'s. When H_0 is true, the variance of each random variable $\tilde{z}_k$ is given by $2\beta^2 \lambda_k$. Let

$$n_k = |\tilde{z}_k|^2 \tag{5.42}$$

When H_o is true, n_k will have an exponential density function ($p_{n_k/H_o}(n_k/H_o)$) given by

$$p_{n_k/H_o}(n_k/H_o) = \begin{cases} \dfrac{1}{2\beta^2 \lambda_k} \exp\left(- \dfrac{n_k}{2\beta^2 \lambda_k}\right) & ; \quad n_k \geq 0 \\[4mm] 0 & ; \quad n_k < 0 \end{cases}$$

(5.43)

Also

$$E[\exp(-s\, n_k)/H_o] = \int_0^\infty [\exp(-s\, n_k)] p_{n_k/H_o}(n_k/H_o) \, dn_k$$

$$= \frac{1}{(1 + 2\beta^2 \lambda_k \, s)}$$

(5.44)

It may be observed from (5.39) that

$$\left.\begin{array}{c} p_{y/H_o}(y/H_o) \\[4mm] p_{y/H_1}(y/H_1) \end{array}\right\} = 0 \quad \text{for } y < 0$$

(5.45)

where $p_{y/H_o}(y/H_o)$ and $p_{y/H_1}(y/H_1)$ are the density functions of y given H_o is true and given H_1 is true respectively.

As y/H_o(y given H_o is true) is obtained by a summation of M independent random variables n_k's, the Laplace transform (one sided) of $p_{y/H_o}(y/H_o)$ is the product of the Laplace

transform of the density functions of n_k's. Or

$$\mathcal{L}_{y/H_0}(s) \triangleq \int_0^\infty \exp(-sy)\, p_{y/H_0}(y/H_0)dy = \prod_{k=0}^{M-1} \mathcal{L}_{n_k/H_0}(s)$$

$$(5.46)$$

Using (5.44)

$$\mathcal{L}_{y/H_0}(s) = \prod_{k=0}^{M-1} \frac{1}{(1 + 2\beta^2\, \lambda_k\, s)}$$

$$(5.47)$$

Similarly we can show that

$$\mathcal{L}_{y/H_1}(s) = \prod_{k=0}^{M-1} \frac{1}{(1 + 2\gamma^2\, \mu_k\, s)}$$

$$(5.48)$$

We then have

$$p_{y/H_0}(y/H_0) = -\frac{1}{2\pi j} \int_{c-j\infty}^{c+j\infty} \frac{\exp(sy)\, ds}{\prod_{k=0}^{M-1} (1+2\beta^2\, \lambda_k\, s)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi j} \int_{c-j\infty}^{c+j\infty} \frac{\exp(\frac{s}{2\beta^2}\, y)\, d(s/2\beta^2)}{\prod_{k=0}^{M-1} (1 + \lambda_k\, s)}$$

$$(5.49)$$

and

$$p_{y/H_1}(y/H_1) = \frac{1}{2\pi j} \int_{c-j\infty}^{c+j\infty} \frac{\exp(sy)\, ds}{\prod_{k=0}^{M-1} (1+2\gamma^2\, \mu_k\, s)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi j} \int_{c-j\infty}^{c+j\infty} \frac{\exp(\frac{s}{2\gamma^2}\, y)\, d(s/2\gamma^2)}{\prod_{k=0}^{M-1} (1 + \mu_k\, s)}$$

$$(5.50)$$

The expressions to obtain $p_{y/H_0}(y/H_0)$ and $p_{y/H_1}(y/H_1)$ in (5.49) and (5.50) respectively are similar. To simplify (5.49) or (5.50), we have to consider the following three cases:

(a) All eigenvalues are distinct.

(b) All eigenvalues are identical.

(c) A combination of distinct and repeated eigenvalues.

Case (a) : All eigenvalues are distinct.

We can express

$$\frac{1}{\prod\limits_{k=0}^{M-1} (1 + \lambda_k s)} = \frac{A_0}{(1 + \lambda_0 s)} + \frac{A_1}{(1 + \lambda_1 s)} + \cdots \frac{A_{M-1}}{(1 + \lambda_{M-1} s)}$$

$$(5.51)$$

and obtain $A_0 \cdots A_{M-1}$ by the partial fraction method etc.

Then simplifying and taking the inverse Laplace transform in (5.49), we obtain

$$p_{y/H_0}(y/H_0) = \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \left[\prod_{\substack{k=0 \\ k \neq m}}^{M-1} (1 - \frac{\lambda_k}{\lambda_m}) \right]^{-1} \frac{\exp(-y/2\beta^2 \lambda_m)}{2\beta^2 \lambda_m}$$

$$\text{for } y \geq 0 \qquad (5.52)$$

Similarly we can obtain

$$p_{y/H_1}(y/H_1) = \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \left[\prod_{\substack{k=0 \\ k \neq m}}^{M-1} (1 - \frac{\mu_k}{\mu_m}) \right]^{-1} \frac{\exp(-y/2\gamma^2 \mu_m)}{2\gamma^2 \mu_m}$$

$$\text{for } y \geq 0 \qquad (5.53)$$

The probability of false alarm and the probability of detection are given by

$$P_F = \int_{\eta_T}^{\infty} P_{y/H_o}(y/H_o)dy = \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \left[\prod_{\substack{k=0 \\ k \neq m}}^{M-1} (1 - \frac{\lambda_k}{\lambda_m}) \right]^{-1} \exp(\eta_T/2\beta^2 \lambda_m)$$

(5.54)

and

$$P_D = \int_{\eta_T}^{\infty} P_{y/H_1}(y/H_1)dy = \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \left[\prod_{\substack{k=0 \\ k \neq m}}^{M-1} (1 - \frac{\mu_k}{\mu_m}) \right]^{-1} \exp(-\eta_T/2\gamma^2 \mu_m)$$

(5.55)

Case (b): All eigenvalues are identical.

Then

$$\lambda_k = \lambda \quad \text{for} \quad k = 0,1,\ldots,M-1 \qquad (5.56)$$

and

$$\mu_k = \mu \quad \text{for} \quad k = 0,1,\ldots,M-1 \qquad (5.57)$$

Now from (5.49) we have,

$$P_{y/H_o}(y/H_o) = \frac{1}{2\pi j} \int_{c-j\infty}^{c+j\infty} \frac{1}{(2\beta^2 \lambda)^M} \frac{\exp(sy) \, ds}{(s + \frac{1/}{2\beta^2})^M} \quad \text{for} \quad y \geq 0$$

(5.58)

Simplifying we have,

$$P_{y/H_o}(y/H_o) = \frac{1}{(2\beta^2 \lambda)^M} \frac{y^{M-1} \exp(-y/2\beta^2)}{(M-1)!} \quad \text{for} \quad y \geq 0$$

(5.59)

Now

$$P_F = \int_{\eta_T}^{\infty} P_{y/H_o}(y/H_o)dy = \frac{1}{(2\beta^2 \lambda)^M} \int_{\eta_T}^{\infty} \frac{y^{M-1} \exp(-y/2\beta^2)}{(M-1)!} dy$$

or

$$P_F = 1 - \int_0^{\eta_T} \frac{1}{(2\beta^2 \lambda)^M} \frac{y^{M-1} \exp(-y/2\beta^2)}{(M-1)!} dy \qquad (5.60)$$

Substituting $t = y/2\beta^2$ and simplifying we get,

$$P_F = 1 - \int_0^{\eta_T/2\beta^2} \frac{t^{M-1} \exp(-t)}{(M-1)!} dt \qquad (5.61)$$

Now the integral $\int_0^{u\sqrt{(1+s)}} \frac{\exp(-v)v^s}{s!} dv$ is Pearson's form

of the incomplete gamma function and has been defined by

Pearson [58] as,

$$I(u,s) = \int_0^{u\sqrt{(1+s)}} \frac{\exp(-v) v^s}{s!} dv \qquad (5.62)$$

Pearson [58] has also tabulated it upto the seventh decimal

place for $s \leq 50$. Therefore, from (5.61) and (5.62)

$$P_F = 1 - I(\frac{\eta_T/2\beta^2 \lambda}{\sqrt{M}}, M-1) \qquad (5.63)$$

Following the same procedure, we can obtain

$$P_D = 1 - I(\frac{\eta_T/2\gamma^2 \mu}{\sqrt{M}}, M-1) \qquad (5.64)$$

Case (c): A Combination of distinct and repeated eigenvalues.

In this case $1/[\prod_{k=0}^{M-1} (1+ \lambda_k s)]$ or $1/[\prod_{k=0}^{M-1} (1+\mu_k s)]$ is to

be expressed as a sum of partial fractions such that the

methods of Case (a) and Case (b) can be applied to obtain

P_D and P_F.

Using this procedure, P_D and P_F for structured receivers A2 and B2 may be evaluated. This procedure can also be to evaluate P_D and P_F for receivers using envelope square detection followed by post-detection integration. Here it must be mentioned that Marcum [7] and Swerling [8] have derived formulae to calculate P_D and P_F for such receivers when they are used to detect nonfluctuating and fluctuating (Swerling 1 - 4) targets in white noise. Kanter [59] has generalised Swerling's procedure to include the effects of clutter for Swerling 1 and Swerling 3 targets. Kanter has assumed the power spectral density of clutter to be symmetric. The procedure developed here makes no such assumptions about the clutter or interference spectrum and can be used in the case of both Swerling 1 and Swerling 2 targets. Also this procedure is easier to use than Kanter's procedure which calls for calculating the roots of an Mth degree polynomial, M being the number of hits/scan.

5.4 Performance Evaluation of the Structured Receiver by Simulation and Numerical Computation

The performance of the structured receivers A1, A2, B1 and B2 is evaluated by means of computer simulation and numerical computation. The performance of the structured receiver in all these cases is compared with the performance of a moving target indicator (MTI) using a double delay line canceller after the matched filter. This MTI configuration is shown in Fig. 5.7.

$$\tilde{h}(t) = \tilde{f}^*(T_0 - t) \times$$
$$\exp(-j\omega_D(T_0 - t))$$

Sample at
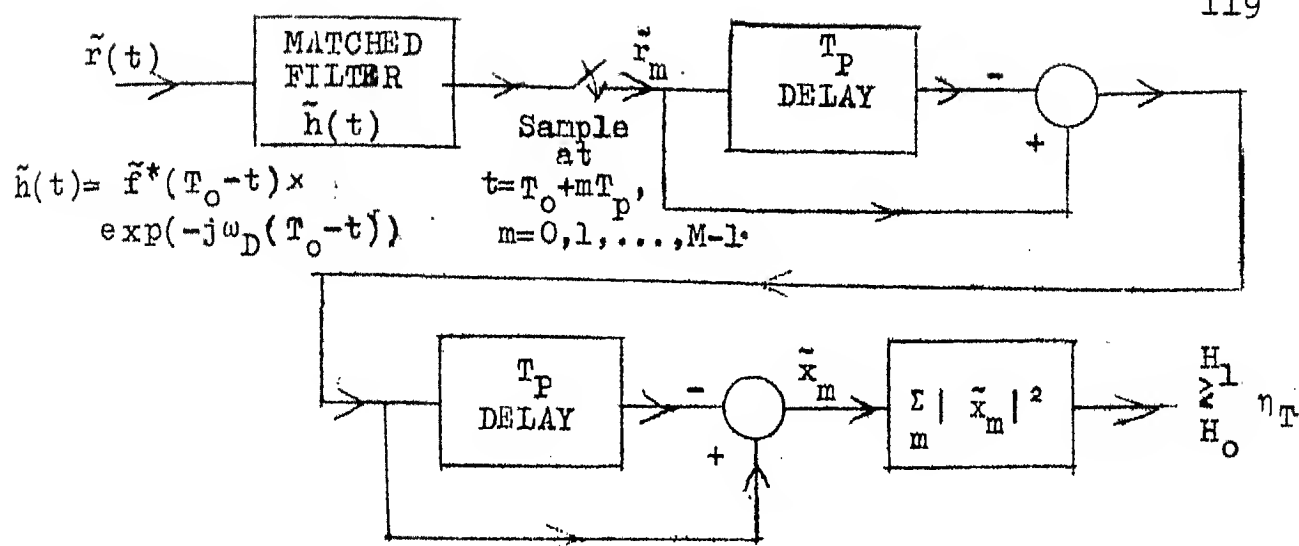$t = T_0 + mT_p$,
$m = 0, 1, \ldots, M-1$.

Fig. 5.7 MTI Using a Double Line Canceller
(Complex Operations).

We have considered it appropriate to compare the performance of the structured receiver with that of an MTI receiver for two reasons. First, the delay line canceller MTI receiver is very widely used in operational radar systems to distinguish moving targets in clutter. The MTI receiver configuration shown in Fig. 5.7 is generally not used and the received signal is directly sampled and sent through the canceller loops, though radars using pulse compression techniques do have some sort of a matched filter front end. However, we use a matched filter front end for the MTI receiver (whose performance is evaluated here) in conformity with the structured receivers of Section 5.1. The second reason is that the structured receivers A2 and B2 turn out to be similar to an adaptive MTI receiver where the tap coefficients ($\tilde{\alpha}_i$'s) and the number of canceller loops (MAX)

are estimated adaptively from the received interference
samples. As the tap coefficients are estimated on the basis
of combined thermal noise and clutter, it is conjectured that
the performance of the structured receiver will be superior
to that of an adaptive MTI receiver where the canceller loops
are designed to combat clutter alone.

The performance of the MTI receiver is evaluated for
the following cases using the procedure discussed in
Section 5.3.

(a) When all the M pulses at the output of the canceller
are taken into account. This receiver is denoted as
MTI receiver A.

(b) When the initial two pulses at the output of the
canceller are ignored. Here the summation in Fig.5.6
is from m = 3 to M-1. This receiver is denoted as
MTI receiver B.

As in Chapter 4, the performance evaluation is done
for varying conditions of target power, target velocity,
clutter power, clutter spectral width, thermal noise power
etc. Again, the clutter returns are assumed to have a
Gaussian shaped power spectral density.

The entire simulation scheme is discussed in
Appendix A. As in Chapter 4, zero-mean complex Gaussian
clutter samples with Gaussian shaped power spectral density,

are generated on the computer. Zero-mean complex Gaussian white noise samples are also generated on the computer and these are added to the clutter samples to obtain interference samples $\tilde{I}_k$'s. These $\tilde{I}_k$'s correspond to the output of the matched filter in Figs. 5.2 - 5.7 when no target is present. Then, the complex form of the maximum entropy method is used to determine the tap coefficients ($\tilde{a}_k$'s) and order (MAX) of the whitening filter. The performance evaluation of the structured receivers A1, A2, B1 and B2 and MTI receivers **A** and **B** is done using the expressions and formulae obtained in Sections 5.2 and 5.3. This evaluation is carried out for a large number of cases by varying P_T, P_c, N_0, f_D and f_3 where these terms are as denoted in Chapter 4. The receiver operating characteristics(ROC) for these cases are given in Figs. 5.8 - 5.20.

The following observations on the overall performance of the structured receivers A1, A2, B1 and B2, and on their comparative performance versus the MTI receivers A and B, are made:

(a) In the situations considered, the performance of the structured receivers(with either coherent or noncoherent detection) based on hypothesis testing problem B is far superior to that of MTI receiver B. Likewise, the performance of the structured receivers (again with either coherent or noncoherent detection) based on hypothesis testing problem A is superior or at least equal to that of MTI receiver A.

(b) When there is no clutter, the performance of the structured receivers based on hypothesis testing problem A is slightly better than the performance of the structured receivers based on hypothesis testing problem B. However, the performance of the structured receivers based on hypothesis testing problem B is far superior to that of the structured receivers based on hypothesis testing problem A even when the clutter power (P_c) is only 20 dB above the white noise power (N_0) and 10 dB above the target power (P_T). This superiority in performance increases with an increase in clutter power. Likewise, under similar clutter conditions, the MTI receiver B performs better than the MTI receiver A. At a target Doppler shift of 100 Hz and P_T equal to 10, the performance of the structured receiver A2 and the MTI receiver A approach the $P_D \cong P_F$ limit when the clutter power is 30 dB above the white noise power.

(c) As expected, the structured receivers with coherent detection perform better than the structured receivers with noncoherent detection.

(d) In general, the performance of the structured receivers improve as the clutter spectral width decreases.

(e) The performance of both the structured and the MTI receivers is dependent on the target Doppler shift. For P_c = 1000 and f_3 = 1 Hz, the performance of the MTI receiver B deteriorates sharply when the target Doppler shift decreases from 100 Hz to 40 Hz. However, the performance deterioration

is much less in the case of the structured receivers B1 and
B2 for the same change in target Doppler shift. In the case
of the structured receivers B1 and B2, this performance
deterioration, with a decrease in target Doppler shift,
is more rapid as the clutter spectral width increases.

(f) It is observed that when f_3 is equal to 10 Hz,
the performance of the MTI receiver B is thermal noise
limited upto clutter power levels of 40 dB above the
thermal noise power. This is obviously not so in the case
of the structured receivers.

The performance of these structured receivers is
inferior to the performance of the structured optimum
receivers of Chapter 4. However, the implementation of the
structured receivers (particularly with noncoherent detection)
is easier than the implementation of the structured optimum
receivers.

FIG. 5·8 RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED AND MTI RECEIVERS

The figure is a receiver operating characteristic (ROC) plot. The vertical axis is "Probability of detection (P_D) in percent" ranging from 0.01 to 99.99. The horizontal axis is "Probability of false alarm (P_F)" ranging from 10^{-8} to 1.

Annotations on the plot:

16 hits/scan
$P_T = 10$; $P_C = 0 0$
$N_o = 1$
$f_D = 100$ Hz ; P.R.F. = 540 Hz
1 Structured Rx A 1
2 Structured Rx A 2
3 Structured Rx B 1
4 Structured Rx B 2
5 MTI Rx A
6 MTI Rx B

16 hits/scan
$P_T = 10$; $P_C = 100$
$N_0 = 1$, $f_3 = 10$ Hz
$f_D = 100$ Hz ; P.R.F. = 540 Hz
1 Structured Rx A 1
2 Structured Rx A 2
3 Structured Rx B 1
4 Structured Rx B 2
5 M T I Rx A
6 M T I Rx B

Probability of detection (P_D) in percent

Probability of false alarm (P_F)

FIG. 5·9   RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR
STRUCTURED AND MTI RECEIVERS

16 hits/scan
$P_T = 10$; $P_C = 1000$
$N_o = 1$; $f_3 = 10$ Hz
$f_D = 100$ Hz ; P.R.F.= 540 Hz
1 Structured Rx A 1
2 Structured Rx A 2
3 Structured Rx B 1
4 Structured Rx B 2
5 MTI Rx A
6 MTI Rx B

Probability of detection (P_D) in percent

Probability of false alarm (P_F)

FIG. 5.10   RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED AND MTI RECEIVERS

16 hits/scan
$P_T = 10$; $P_C = 10000$
$N_o = 1$; $f_3 = 10$ Hz
$f_D = 100$ Hz; P.R.F.$= 540$ Hz

1 Structured Rx A 1
2 Structured Rx A 2
3 Structured Rx B 1
4 Structured Rx B 2
5 MTI Rx A
6 MTI Rx B

Probability of detection (P_D) in percent

Probability of false alarm (P_F)

FIG. 5·11   RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED AND MTI RECEIVERS

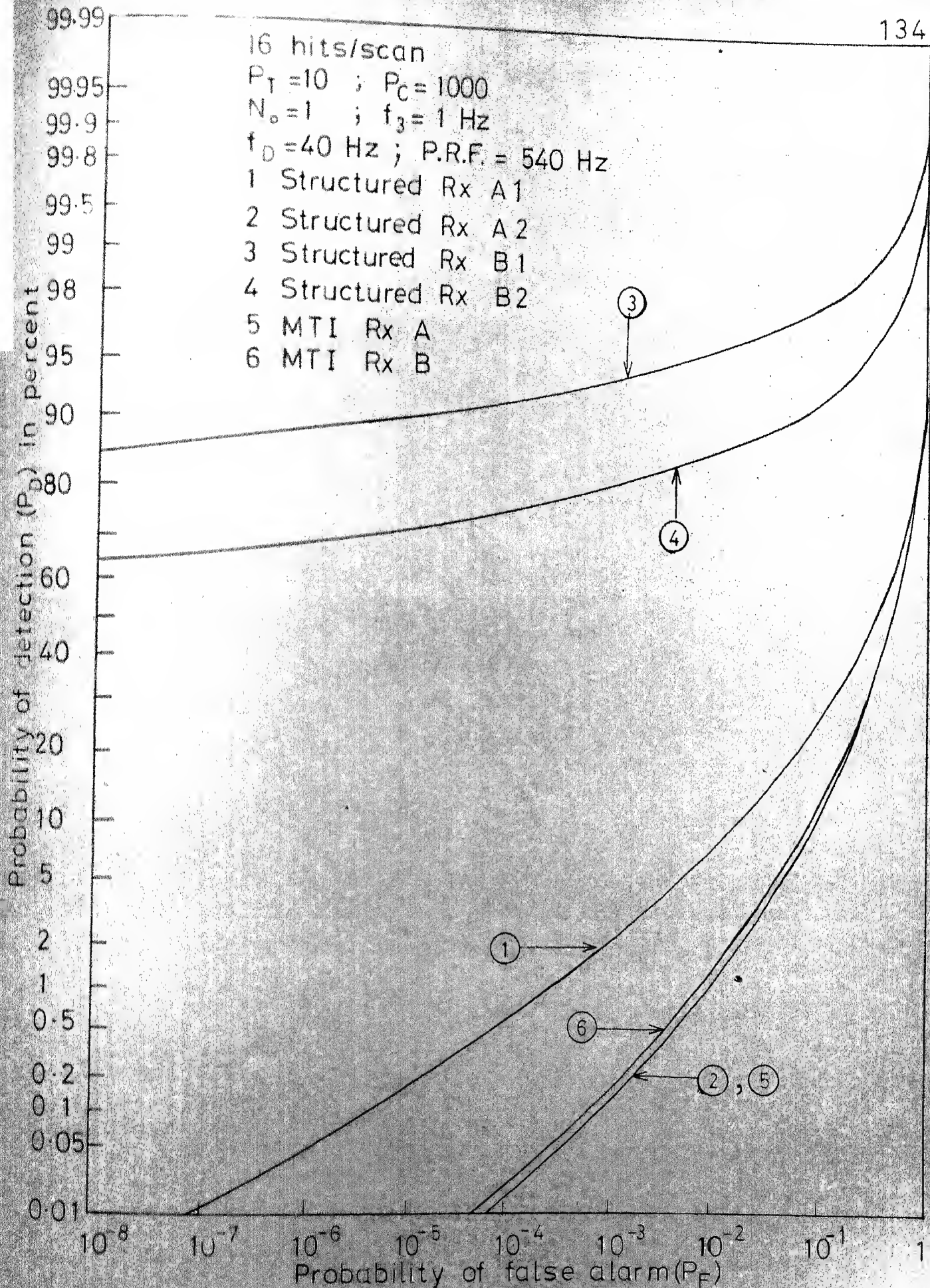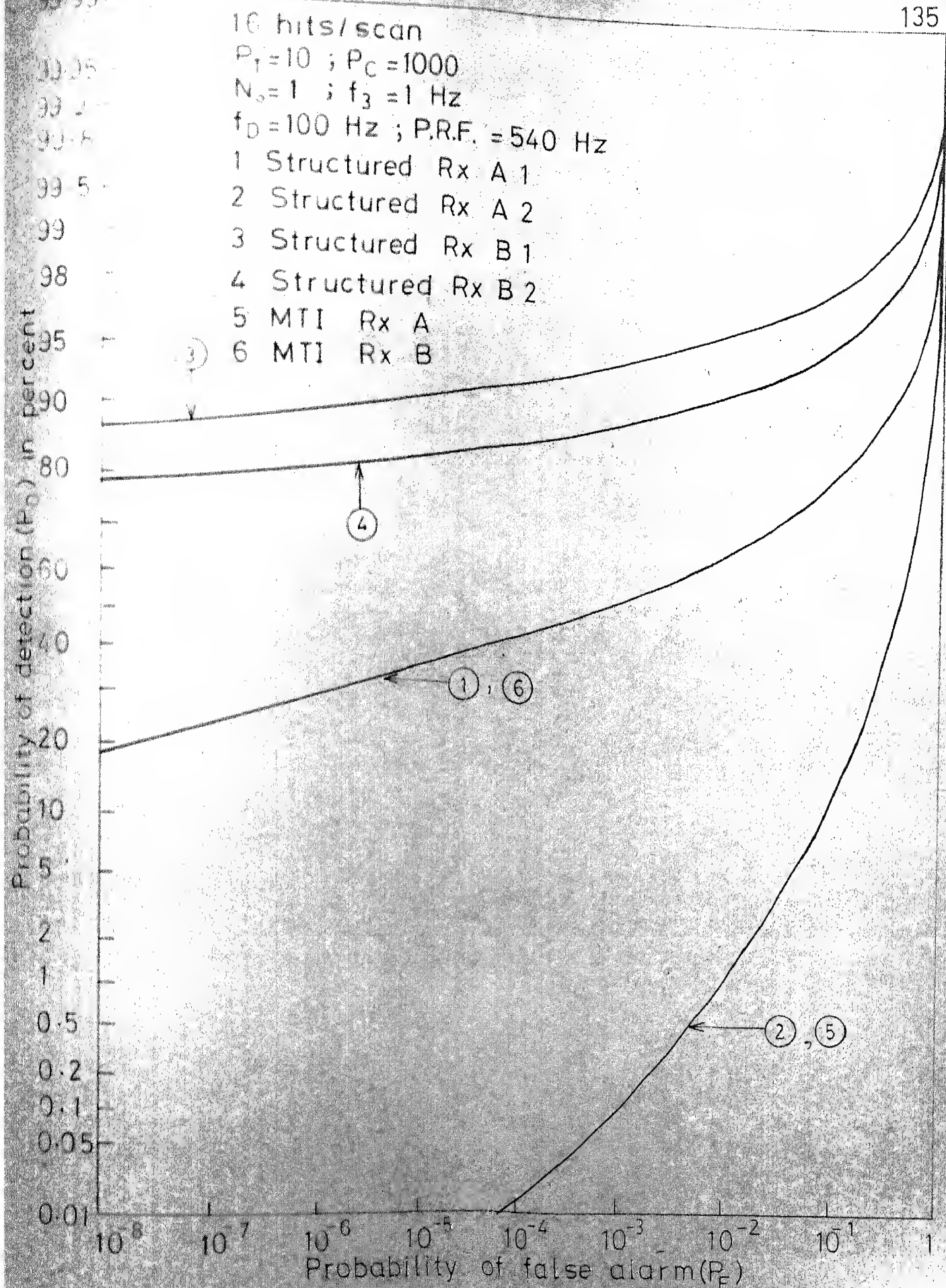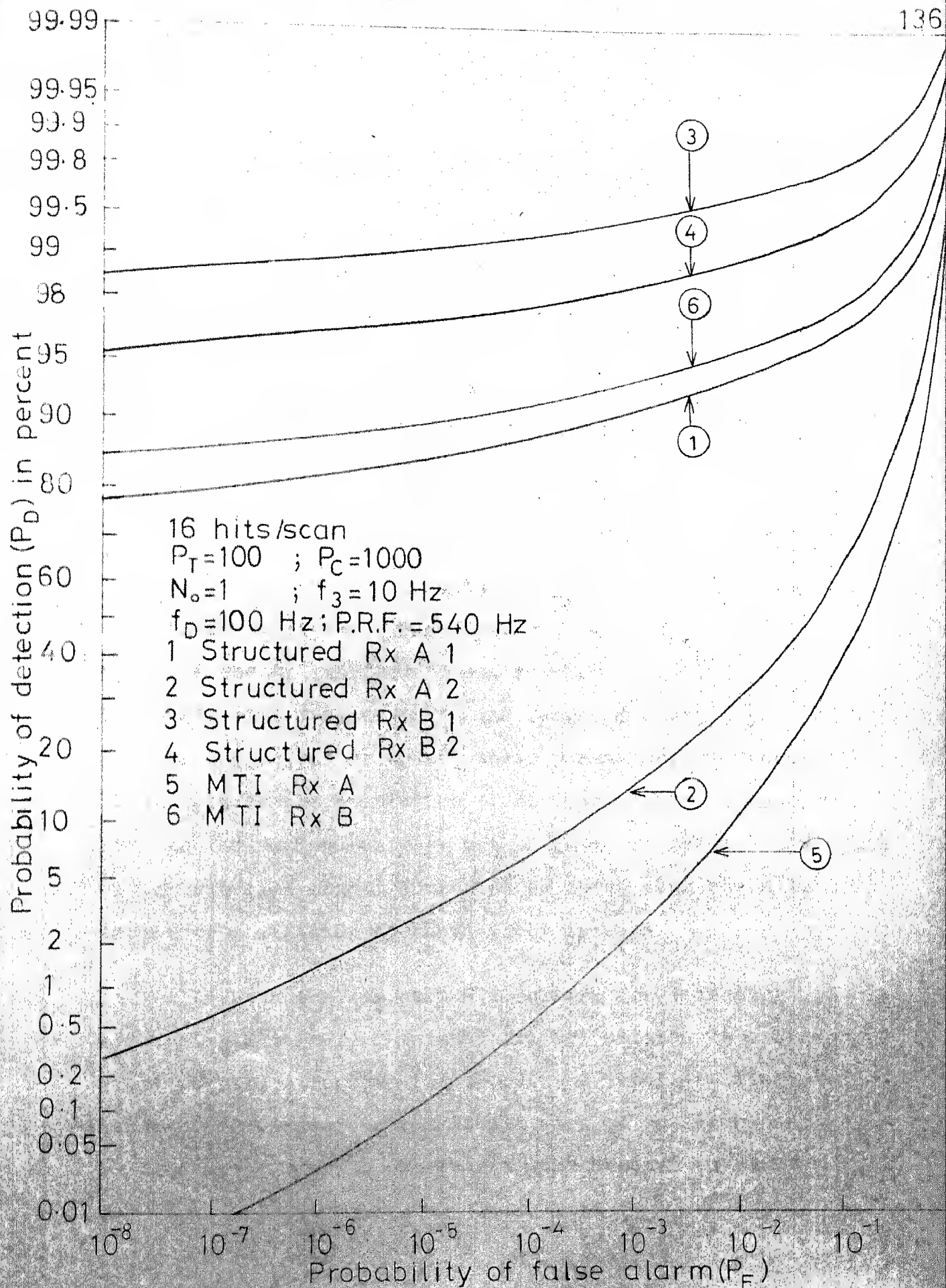FIG.5 12 RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED AND MTI RECEIVERS

FIG. 5·13 RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED AND MTI RECEIVERS

16 hits/scan
$P_T = 10$; $P_C = 1000$
$N_o = 1$; $f_3 = 10$ Hz
$f_D = 0.0$ Hz ; P.R.F. $= 540$ Hz

1 Structured Rx A 1
2 Structured Rx A 2
3 Structured Rx B 1
4 Structured Rx B 2
5 MTI Rx A
6 MTI Rx B

Probability of detection(P_d) in percent

Probability of false alarm (P_F)

5.14 RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED AND MTI RECEIVERS

FIG.5·15 RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED AND MTI RECEIVERS

FIG. 5·16   RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR
STRUCTURED AND MTI RECEIVERS

FIG. 5.17 RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTICS FOR STRUCTURED AND MTI RECEIVERS

FIG. 5.18 RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED AND MTI RECEIVERS

The figure shows a Receiver Operating Characteristic (ROC) plot with Probability of detection (P_D) in percent on the vertical axis (from 0.01 to 99.99) and Probability of false alarm (P_F) on the horizontal axis (from 10^{-8} to 1).

Legend:
16 hits/scan
$P_T = 10$; $P_C = 1000$
$N_o = 1$; $f_3 = 1$ Hz
$f_D = 40$ Hz ; P.R.F. = 540 Hz

1 Structured Rx A1
2 Structured Rx A2
3 Structured Rx B1
4 Structured Rx B2
5 MTI Rx A
6 MTI Rx B

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FIG. 5-19   RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR
STRUCTURED AND MTI RECEIVERS

FIG. 5·20   RECEIVER OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC FOR STRUCTURED AND MTI RECEIVERS

16 hits/scan
$P_T = 100$; $P_C = 1000$
$N_o = 1$; $f_3 = 10$ Hz
$f_D = 100$ Hz ; P.R.F. = 540 Hz
1 Structured Rx A 1
2 Structured Rx A 2
3 Structured Rx B 1
4 Structured Rx B 2
5 MTI Rx A
6 MTI Rx B

CHAPTER 6

CONCLUSIONS

In this thesis, an optimum radar receiver for detecting a Swerling 1 target in the presence of clutter is derived and it is found that implementing this receiver in a changing clutter environment is extremely difficult with present day technology. In view of this, this thesis primarily deals with the design and study of two adaptive suboptimum receivers for detecting a Swerling 1 target in the presence of clutter. These receivers are adaptive in the sense that they estimate the required statistics of clutter and adjust or update their parameters in response to changes in the statistics of clutter. This is achieved through the maximum entropy method (MEM) of spectral analysis of the received signal during those scans when there is no target or a decision to that effect is made.

In both the suboptimum receivers for detecting a Swerling 1 target, a matched filter (matched to a single pulse return) structure is imposed. A matched filter structured receiver is relatively easy to implement and is indeed the optimum receiver in the absence of clutter.

The first suboptimum receiver, termed ⟨ Structured
Optimum Receiver, is an optimum receiver within the constraints
imposed by its matched filter structure. A study is made of
how the MEM could be used to estimate the required clutter
statistics during those scans when no target is present in
the range bin of interest, thereby enabling the parameters of
the structured optimum receiver to be determined adaptively.
The performance of such a receiver is evaluated for both the
cases when the required clutter statistics are a priori known
and when the MEM is used to estimate the required statistics
of clutter. Performance evaluation studies indicate that the
MEM is able to estimate the required clutter statistics
'reasonably well' with only 16 samples. In general, the
performance of the structured optimum receiver improves as
the clutter spectral width decreases and the target Doppler
shift increases. At a target Doppler shift of 100 Hz or
more, a pulse repetition frequency (PRF) of 540 Hz and a
clutter spectral width of 10 Hz or less, the performance
of the structured optimum receiver approaches the maximum
attainable limit (when no clutter is present) to within
about 20 percent (in terms of signal to interference ratio)
even when the clutter power is as high as 50 dB above the
thermal noise power. In general, the performance of the
structured optimum receiver is far superior to that of a
conventional matched filter receiver. However, at low target
Doppler shifts (particularly at 20 Hz or less), the performance
of both the receivers is poor.

suboptimum receiver is easier to implement than the first
suboptimum receiver.

A study of the performance of both the structured
optimum and structured receivers carried out at other PRF's -
though not reported here - indicates trends similar to those
presented in the thesis.

In the procedure followed to estimate the required
clutter statistics by MEM, an averaging (as described in
Appendix A) over twenty five scans (when no target is present)
is done. This procedure ignores the errors due to missing a
target during a particular scan and considering the returned
signal in that scan to estimate the clutter statistics. To
take this error into account, one has to consider the a priori
probability of a target being present at the given range bin
during any particular scan, as well as the probability of
miss of a target. In practice, this apriori probability of
a target being present is extremely low, and therefore it
is felt that the errors due to missing a target will not be
significant when an averaging over a sufficient number of
scans is done.

The performance figures of the structured optimum
receiver indicate that its performance is 'reasonably good'
except at low target Doppler shifts and large clutter spectral
widths. At low target Doppler shifts, the performance is

extremely poor. To obtain better performance at low Doppler shifts, it is necessary to search for other implementable receiver structures. One such receiver structure (in the notation of the earlier chapters) that could be tried is shown below.

$$\tilde{r}(t) \rightarrow \otimes \rightarrow \boxed{\int_{T_i}^{T_f} \cdot \, dt} \rightarrow \quad \underset{H_o}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} \quad \eta_T$$

$$\tilde{g}^*(t) = \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \tilde{f}(t-mT_p) \, \exp(-j\omega_D t)$$

$$+ \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} \sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{\rho}_k^* \, \exp(-j\omega_D mT_p) \, \tilde{f}^*(t-kT-mT_p)$$

This has the same structure as the optimum receiver except that the coefficients $\tilde{g}_{mk}$'s in the optimum receiver have been replaced by $\tilde{\rho}_k \exp(j\omega_d mT_p)$ terms. $\tilde{\rho}_k$'s could be chosen such that the clutter component in the received signal is completely cancelled. Using the notation of the earlier chapters, $\sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_{mk} \tilde{f}(t-kT-mT_p)$ is the clutter signal due to the mth pulse, $\tilde{f}(t-mT_p)$, in the transmitted pulse train. When this return is correlated with $\tilde{g}^*(t)$, the output due to the clutter component alone can be written as

$$\sum_{k=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_{mk} \, \exp(-j\omega_D mT_p) \, \tilde{\varphi}(kT,-\omega_D) + \sum_{k=0}^{L} \sum_{n=0}^{L} \tilde{b}_{mk} \, \exp(j\omega_D mT_p) \times$$

$$\tilde{\rho}_n^* \, \tilde{\varphi}((k-n)T),0)$$

where $\tilde{\varphi}(kT,-\omega_D) = \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \tilde{f}(t-kT)\tilde{f}^*(t) \, \exp(-j\omega_D t) \, dt$

To make this clutter component equal to zero, we can put the above expression to zero and solve for $\tilde{\rho}_k$'s. Or

$$\sum_{n=0}^{L} \tilde{\rho}_n^* \, \tilde{\varphi}((k-n)T,0) = -\tilde{\varphi}(kT, -\omega_D)$$

$$\text{for } k = 0,1,\ldots,L$$

We observe that these $\tilde{\rho}_k$'s do not depend on m and choosing $\tilde{\rho}_k$'s in such a fashion would result in the complete cancellation of clutter. However, the power due to the white noise component in the received signal increases at the output of the receiver. One way to compensate for this is to increase the transmitter power or the number of hits/scan. Another way to choose $\tilde{\rho}_k$'s is to maximise the signal to interference ratio and perhaps use a gradient algorithm to recursively compute $\tilde{\rho}_k$'s.

The performance evaluation of the **various** receivers is done by considering the statistics of the samples at the output of the matched filter. No consideration was given to the design of the basic signal waveform ($\tilde{f}(t)$) to reduce the effects of clutter. By a proper choice of the basic signal waveform ($\tilde{f}(t)$), the clutter power ($2h^2$) at the output of the matched filter itself could be reduced and this would inprove the performance of the structured optimum and structured receivers considerably. Thus if $\tilde{f}(t)$ is so chosen that its ambiguity function ($\tilde{\theta}(\tau, \omega)$) has a low value at small values of ω, the performance of these receivers at low Doppler shifts would improve considerably.

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APPENDIX A

PERFORMANCE EVALUATION BY COMPUTER SIMULATION AND
NUMERICAL COMPUTATIONS

The performance of the structured optimum, structured,
matched filter and moving target indicator (MTI) receivers
were evaluated for Swerling 1 target models by computer
simulation and numerical computations. The computer used
was the DEC-1090 system. This appendix describes the
simulation scheme. A flow chart describing the
recursive algorithm for the complex form of the maximum
entropy method (MEM) is also included.

The objective of the computer simulation was to
evaluate the effectiveness of the MEM in estimating the
required total interference statistics in the case of the
structured optimum receiver, and to estimate the required
whitening filter in the case of the structured receiver. As
is commonly done in most radar performance evaluations, the
clutter returns were assumed to have a Gaussian shaped power
spectral density. The number of hits per scan (n) of the
radar was taken to be 16.

Complex Gaussian clutter samples ($\tilde{d}_k$'s) were generated
on the computer using the method described in [60]. Complex
white Gaussian noise samples ($\tilde{w}_k$'s) were also generated on the

computer and these were added to $\tilde{\alpha}_k$'s to obtain the total interference samples ($\tilde{I}_k$'s). These interference samples correspond to the matched filter output for a particular range bin during those scans when no target is present. Then the complex form of the MEM was used to estimate the inverse covariance matrix ($\tilde{A}_I^{-1}$) of the interference samples in the case of the structured optimum receiver and to estimate the whitening filter tap coefficients ($\tilde{\alpha}_k$) and its order (MAX) in the case of the structured receiver. As indicated in Chapter 2, the inverse covariance matrix ($\tilde{A}_I^{-1}$) can be estimated without the need to estimate $\tilde{A}_I$ and then invert it. Also for the reason stated in Chapter 2, the maximum order of the autoregressive (AR) model being fitted, on the samples was restricted to 8.

In order to improve the estimates of $\tilde{A}_I^{-1}$ and the tap coefficients of the whitening filter, twenty five different realisations of the complex Gaussian interference samples (corresponding to those scans when no target is present) were generated on the computer and the following averaging scheme used:

(a) From each realisation of 16 samples, the MEM was used to calculate the AR model coefficients $\tilde{\alpha}_{mk}$'s for m = 0,1,...,8 and k = 0,1,...,m by solving equation (2.44) reproduced below in terms of complex envelopes,

$$\sum_{k=0}^{m} \tilde{\alpha}_{mk} \tilde{R}(j-k) = P_m \delta_{jo} \qquad j = 0,1,\ldots,m$$

$$m = 0,1,\ldots,8$$

$$\tilde{\alpha}_{mo} = 1 \text{ for any } m.$$

m denotes the order of the AR model being fitted, $\tilde{R}(k)$'s denote the element of the interference covariance matrix $(\tilde{A}_I)$ and P_m denotes the prediction error power for a prediction error filter of length m+1. These equations are solved using Burg's procedure outlined in Chapter 2. The final prediction error (FPE(m)) as stated in (2.53) was also calculated for $m = 1,2,\ldots,8$. A flow chart of the MEM recursive algorithm for a complex-valued time series is given in Fig. Al.1. The notation used in this figure is that of Chapter 2; only the subscripts are enclosed in parenthesis. MAXORD in Fig. Al.1 indicates the maximum order of the AR model for which the search is to be carried out. In our case MAXORD is set to 8.

(b) These $\tilde{\alpha}_{mk}$'s, P_m and FPI(m) were averaged over twenty five different realisations of the interference samples. Then Akaike's minimum FPE criterion was used to select the AR model order (m = MAX). Then $\tilde{A}_I^{-1}$ was calculated using (2.59). The whitening filter coefficients are given by $\tilde{\alpha}_{kMAX}$ for $k = 0,1,\ldots,MAX$.

The performance of the structured optimum, structured, MTI and matched filter receivers was then evaluated by using the formulae and procedures

described in Chapters 4 and 5. The performance of these receivers ·was evaluated for a large number of cases by varying the clutter power, clutter spectral width, target power, target velocity and thermal noise power. Appendix B gives a listing of the main program and the subroutines used in the performance evaluation.

START

INITIALISATION

$$P(o) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^{N} |x(k)|^2 \ , \ \alpha_{mo} = 1 \text{ for } m=1,...\text{MAXORD}$$

$B(1,k) = x(k), \ C(1,k) = x(k+1), \text{for } k=1,..,N-1$

$m = 1$

$$\alpha_{mm} = \frac{-2 \sum_{k=1}^{N-m} B^*(m,k) * C(m,k)}{\sum_{k=1}^{N-m} [|C(m,k)|^2 + |B(m,k)|^2]}$$

$$P(m) = P(m-1)[1 - |\alpha_{mm}|^2]$$

$$FPE(m) = \frac{P(m)[N + m + 1]}{[N-(m+1)]}$$

m=1?   Yes

No

Do for $k = 1, m-1$

$\alpha(m,k) = \alpha(m-1,k) + \alpha(m,m) \ \alpha^*(m-1,m-k)$

Yes   m=MAXORD?

STOP

No

$m=m+1$

Do for $k = 1, N-m$

$B(m,k) = B(m-1,k)+\alpha^*(m-1,m-1)*C(m-1,k)$

$C(M,k) = C(m-1,k+1)+ \alpha(m-1,m-1)*B(m-1,k+1)$

Fig. A1.1 MEM Recursive Algorithm for a
Complex-valued Time Series.

APPENDIX A

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      STRUCTURED OPTIMUM,STRUCTURED, MATCHED FILTER, AND MTI RECEIVERS
      IN THE PRESENCE OF CLUTTER WITH A GAUSSIAN SHAPED POWER
      SPECTRAL DENSITY.
C N denotes the number of hits/scan.
C NUMR denotes the number of scans over which the statistics
C of the total interference samples are averaged.
C N0 denotes the thermal white noise power/sample.
C TP denotes pulse repetition period.
C FD denotes target Doppler shift(in HZ).
C F0 denotes the centre frequency of the clutter power spectrum.
C F3 denotes the 3 dB width(in HZ) of the two sided clutter
C power spectral density.
C TOCP denotes the total clutter power/sample.
C PT denotes the target power/sample.
C ISEED1-4 are the starting seeds for generating the various
C random number sequences.
C VTA and VTB are the thresholds at which Probability of
C Detection(PD) and Probability of False Alarm(PF) are
C evaluated.
C NLA and NLB denote the number of thresholds for which PD
C and PF are evaluated.
C The execution time of the whole program on the DEC-1090
C system is approximately 11 seconds.
C The other symbols used are explained in the various
C subroutines in which they have been used.
C The inputs to the whole program are N0,TP,F0,F3,PT,N,NUMR,
C VTA,VTB,NLA,NLB.
      COMPLEX D,CWGN,INT,T,TET,ARCLUT,ACINV
      COMPLEX TAP,ARINT,ATARG,ATOT
      REAL N0
      DOUBLE PRECISION VTA,VTB
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      DIMENSION T(0:15,0:15),TET(30,0:15,0:15),PP(30,0:15),P(0:15)
      DIMENSION ARCLUT(0:15,0:15),ACINV(0:15,0:15)
      DIMENSION TAP(0:15),ARINT(0:15,0:15),ATARG(0:15,0:15)
      DIMENSION ATOT(0:15,0:15)
      DIMENSION ALAM(0:15),AMU(0:15),BLAM(0:15),BMU(0:15)
      DIMENSION CLAM(0:15),CMU(0:15),VTA(100),VTB(100)
      N=16
      NUMR=25
      MAXORD=8
      N0=1.0
      F0=0.0
      TP=1.0/540.0
      NLA=40
      NLB=50
      READ *,(VTA(J),J=1,NLA)
      READ *,(VTB(J),J=1,NLB)
      READ *,F3,TOCP,PT,FD
      ISEED1=12345
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      ISEED2=44567
      ISEED3=92765
      ISEED4=7654321
      IVEM 200
300   FORMAT(1H0,'N',6X,'TOCP',14X,'TP',16X,'F0',12X,'F3',13X,'NO
     *',12X,'NTHR',5X,'PT',14X,'FD')
      IVOF 1,300,TOCP,TP,F0,F3,NO,NTHR,PT,FD
      DO 200 NU=1,NUMR
C     SUBROUTINE GCWGN GENERATES M COMPLEX WHITE GAUSSIAN SAMPLES
C     WITH POWER NO/SAMPLE.CWGN IS A COMPLEX VECTOR OF DIMENSION M
C     CONTAINING THESE M WHITE NOISE SAMPLES.
C     CALL GCWGN(CWGN,ISEED1,M,ISEED2,NO)
C     SUBROUTINE CLUTT GENERATES M COMPLEX GAUSSIAN CLUTTER SAMPLES
C     HAVING A GAUSSIAN SHAPED POWER SPECTRAL DENSITY WITH CENTRE
C     FREQUENCY=F0 AND 3DB SPECTRAL WIDTH(TWO SIDED) EQUAL TO F3.
C     D IS A COMPLEX VECTOR OF DIMENSION M CONTAINING THESE M
C     CLUTTER SAMPLES. ARCLUT IS THE M * M COVARIANCE MATRIX
C     (THEORETICAL) OF THESE M SAMPLES.
C     CALL CLUTT(D,M,F3,TOCP,TP,F0,ISEED3,ISEED4,NUT,ARCLUT)
C     SUBROUTINE SUMUP ADDS THE M WHITE NOISE SAMPLES TO THE M
C     CLUTTER SAMPLES TO GENERATE M TOTAL INTERFERENCE SAMPLES.
C     INT IS A COMPLEX VECTOR OF DIMENSION M CONTAINING THESE
C     TOTAL INTERFERENCE SAMPLES.
C     CALL SUMUP(INT,CWGN,D,M)
C     SUBROUTINE CMEM PERFORMS THE MAXIMUM ENTROPY METHOD OF
C     SPECTRAL ANALYSIS ON THE M TOTAL INTERFERENCE SAMPLES(INT).
C     MAXORD DENOTES THE MAXIMUM ORDER OF THE AUTOREGRESSIVE(AR)
C     MODEL FITTED TO THE GIVEN TIME SERIES. T IS AN M** COMPLEX
C     MATRIX CONTAINING THE PREDICTION ERROR FILTER COEFFICIENTS,
C     OR THE AR MODEL COEFFICIENTS FOR ORDERS 1 TO MAXORD. THE
C     THE FIRST SUBSCRIPT OF T DENOTES THE ORDER OF THE AR MODEL
C     FITTED AND THE SECOND SUBSCRIPT DENOTES THE ACTUAL COEFFICIENTS.
C     P IS A VECTOR CONTAINING THE PREDICTION ERROR POWERS WHEN AR
C     MODELS OF ORDER 1 TO ORDER MAXORD ARE FITTED TO THE GIVEN TIME
C     SERIES(M TOTAL INTERFERENCE SAMPLES). P(0) GIVES THE AVERAGE
C     POWER IN EACH SAMPLE IS ALSO EQUAL TO THE PREDICTION ERROR
C     POWER FOR AN AR MODEL OF ORDER ZERO. FPE IS THE FINAL
C     PREDICTION ERROR WHEN AR MODELS OF ORDERS 1 TO MAXORD ARE
C     FITTED TO THE GIVEN TIME SERIES.
C     CALL CMEM(INT,M,T,P,FPE,MAXORD)
      DO 210 J=1,MAXORD
      DO 220 K=0,J
      TET(NU,J,K)=T(J,K)
220   CONTINUE
210   CONTINUE
      DO 230 J=1,MAXORD
      FFPE(NU,J)=FPE(J)
      PP(NU,J)=P(J)
230   CONTINUE
      PP(NU,0)=P(0)
200   CONTINUE
C     SUBROUTINE AVMEM AVERAGES THE RESULTS OBTAINED BY MEM OVER
C     NUMR SCANS.THE AVERAGING PROCEDURE IS DESCRIBED IN APPENDIX A
C     OF THIS THESIS.T,P,FPE ARE THE OUTPUTS AND TET,PP,FFPE,MAXORD,
C     NUMR ARE THE INPUTS.
C     CALL AVMEM(TET,PP,FFPE,T,P,FPE,MAXORD,NUMR)
C     SUBROUTINE RCMEM CALCULATES THE INVERSE COVARIANCE MATRIX
C     OF THE TOTAL INTERFERENCE SAMPLES AND THE WHITENING FILTER
C     TAP COEFFICIENTS. AKAIKE'S MINIMUM FPE CRITERION IS USED
C     TO OBTAIN THE OPTIMUM AR MODEL ORDER(MINORD).
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      CALL GGUN
      CALL GEXPDM
      CALL CLUATE
      CALL CHELAE
      CALL CHEPSE
      CALL ECPTSP
      CALL MAALAC
      CALL EXPCEC
      CALL CNRSSC
      CALL CLRO1C
      CALL CLRO2C
      CALL OUTTST
      END
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      SUBROUTINE CCWGN(CWGN,ISEED1,M,ISEED2,NO)
      COMPLEX CWGN,C,S
      REAL NO
      DIMENSION CWGN(0:15)
      DIMENSION R1(16),R2(16),PHETA(16),RAYL(16),C(16),S(16)
C     TYPE *,ISEED1
      CALL GGUN(ISEED1,M,R1)
C     TYPE *,ISEED1
      PI=3.14159265
      DO 10 I=1,M
      THETA(I)=2.0*PI*R1(I)
      C(I)=CMPLX(0.0,THETA(I))
10    CONTINUE
      SNO=SQRT(NO)
      AMEAN=1.0
C     TYPE *,ISEED2
      CALL GGEXP(ISEED2,AMEAN,M,R2)
C     TYPE *,ISEED2
      DO 20 I=1,M
      RAYL(I)=(SQRT(R2(I)))*(SNO)
      S(I)=CEXP(C(I))
      CWGN(I-1)=S(I)*RAYL(I)
C     TYPE *,CWGN(I-1)
20    CONTINUE
      RETURN
      END
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      SUBROUTINE CLUTT(D,M,F3,TOCP,TP,F0,ISEED3,ISEED4,NU,ARCLUT)
C THIS GENERATES GAUSSIAN SPECTRUM SAMPLES
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      C       COMPLEX D,CP,SUM,CX,AG,AE,CRSN,ARCLUT,TEMP
      DIMENSION D(0:15),RSN(5),CP(5),CX(5),ARCLUT(0:15,0:15)
      DIMENSION TEMP(0:15),SN(5)
      PI=3.14159265
      DELF=0.6*1E3
      PR0=PI/CP
      D(0)=1.24(P1)
      RSN(1)=0.1020*PR0
      RSN(2)=0.1558*PR0
      RSN(3)=0.7502*PR0
      RSN(4)=0.1558*PR0
      RSN(5)=0.1020*PR0
      V0=5
      T3=ISEED3
      T4=ISEED4
      VAR=1.0
      CALL GRNCP(CP,T3,NS,I4,VAR)
      ISEED3=T3
      ISEED4=T4
      DO 20 N=1,5
      CRSN=CMPLX(RSN(N),0.0)
      CX(N)=CP(N)*CRSN
20    CONTINUE
      DO 30 K=0,M-1
      SUM=(0.0,0.0)
      DO 40 N=1,5
      AA=F0+(FLOAT(N)-3.0)*DELF
      AB=AA*K*TP*2.0*PI
      AG=CMPLX(0.0,AB)
      AE=CEXP(AG)
      SUM=SUM+CX(N)*AE
40    CONTINUE
      D(K)=SUM
30    CONTINUE
      IF(IU.NE.1)GO TO 700
C     TYPE 50,F3,F0
50    FORMAT(1H0,'F3DB=',F6.2,'F0=',F6.2)
C     TYPE *,(D(K),K=0,M-1)
C     TO CALCULATE COVARIANCE OF CLUTTER SAMPLES BY THEORY
      DO 80 K=0,M-1
      SUM=(0.0,0.0)
      DO 90 N=1,5
      DO 70 I=1,5
      SN(I)=RSN(I)**2
70    CONTINUE
      CRSN=CMPLX(SN(N),0.0)
      AA=F0+(FLOAT(N)-3.0)*DELF
      AB=AA*2.0*PI*TP*K
      AG=CMPLX(0.0,AB)
      AE=CEXP(AG)
      SUM=SUM+AE*CRSN
90    CONTINUE
      TEMP(K)=SUM
80    CONTINUE
      TYPE *,(TEMP(K),K=0,M-1)
      DO 190 J=0,M-1
      DO 100 K=0,J
      ARCLUT(J,K)=TEMP(J-K)
100   CONTINUE
      IF(J.EQ.(M-1))GO TO 190
      DO 110 K=J+1,M-1
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      ARCLUT(J,K)=CONJG(TEMP(K-J))
110   CONTINUE
140   CONTINUE
C
      TYPE 120
120   FORMAT(1H0,"MATRIX ARCLUT:COVARIANCE MATRIX OF CLUTTER")
      DO 110 J=0,4-1
C     TYPE 130,(ARCLUT(I,K),K=0,4-1)
130   FORMAT(1H0,4(E12.5,3X,E12.5,5X))
140   CONTINUE
700   RETURN
      END
      SUBROUTINE GENCP(CP,ISEED3,NS,ISEED4,N0)
      COMPLEX CP(NS),C,S
      REAL N0
      DIMENSION R1(5),R2(5),THETA(5),RAYL(5),C(5),S(5)
C     TYPE *,ISEED3
      CALL GAUS(ISEED3,NS,R1)
C     TYPE *,ISEED3
C     TYPE *,(R1(K),K=1,NS)
      PI=3.14159265
      DO 10 I=1,NS
      THETA(I)=2.0*PI*R1(I)
      C(I)=CMPLX(0.0,THETA(I))
10    CONTINUE
      SN0=SQRT(N0)
      AMEAN=1.0
C     TYPE *,ISEED4
      CALL GGEXP(ISEED4,AMEAN,NS,R2)
C     TYPE *,ISEED4
C     TYPE *,(R2(K),K=1,NS)
      DO 20 I=1,NS
      RAYL(I)=(SQRT(R2(I)))*(SN0)
      S(I)=CEXP(C(I))
      CP(I)=S(I)*RAYL(I)
C     TYPE *,CP(I)
20    CONTINUE
      RETURN
      END




      SUBROUTINE SUMUP(INT,CWGN,D,M)
      COMPLEX INT(0:15),CWGN(0:15),D(0:15)
      DO 10 J=0,M-1
      INT(J)=CWGN(J)+D(J)
10    CONTINUE
      RETURN
      END
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      SUBROUTINE CHPA(R,M,T,P,PPE,MAXORD)
      COMPLEX R,T,P,C,PNUM,PDEN,CB,CC
      COMPLEX TT,TTT
      DIMENSION R(0:15),T(0:15,0:15)
      DIMENSION B(0:15,0:15)
      DIMENSION C(0:15,0:15),P(0:15),PPE(0:15)
      SUM=0.0
      DO 10 J=0,M-1
      PL=CABS(R(J))
      SUM=SUM+PL*PL
10    CONTINUE
      P(0)=SUM/(FLOAT(M))
      N=1
      DO 20 J=0,M-2
      B(N,J)=R(J)
      C(N,J)=R(J+1)
20    CONTINUE
      DO 25 J=1,MAXORD
      P(J,J)=(1.0,0.0)
25    CONTINUE
100   PNUM=(0.0,0.0)
      PDEN=(0.0,0.0)
      MN=M-1-N
      DO 30 J=0,MN
      CB=CONJG(B(N,J))
      PNUM=PNUM-C(N,J)*CB
      CC=CONJG(C(N,J))
      PDEN=PDEN+B(N,J)*CB+C(N,J)*CC
30    CONTINUE
C CALCULATION OF PREDICTION ERROR COEFFICIENTS
      T(N,N)=(2.0,0.0)*PNUM/PDEN
      RL=CABS(T(N,N))
      P(N)=P(N-1)*(1.-RL*RL)
      PPE(N)=P(N)*(FLOAT(M+N+1))/(FLOAT(M-N-1))
      IF(N.EQ.1)GO TO 60
      DO 40 J=1,N-1
      TTT=CONJG(T(N-1,N-J))
      T(N,J)=T(N-1,J)+T(N,N)*TTT
40    CONTINUE
60    IF(N.EQ.MAXORD)GO TO 1000
      N=N+1
      DO 90 J=0,M-1-N
      TT=CONJG(T(N-1,N-1))
      B(N,J)=B(N-1,J)+TT*C(N-1,J)
      C(N,J)=C(N-1,J+1)+T(N-1,N-1)*B(N-1,J+1)
90    CONTINUE
      GO TO 100
1000  RETURN
      END
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      SUBROUTINE AVREG(TET,PP,FPPE,T,P,FPE,MAXORD,NUMB)
      COMPLEX TET,T,ASUM,AA
      DIMENSION TET(30,0:15,0:15),PP(30,0:15),FPPE(30,0:15)
      DIMENSION FPE(0:15), P(0:15),T(0:15,0:15)
      DO 300 J=1,MAXORD
      ASUM=0.0
      KSUM=0.0
      DO 310 K=1,NUMB
      KSUM=SUM+FPPE(K,J)
      ASUM=ASUM+PP(K,J)
310   CONTINUE
      FPE(J)=(SUM)/(FLOAT(NUMB))
      P(J)=(ASUM)/(FLOAT(NUMB))
300   CONTINUE
      SUM=0.0
      DO 320 J=1,NUMB
      SUM=SUM+PP(J,0)
320   CONTINUE
      P(0)=(SUM)/(FLOAT(NUMB))
      DO 330 J=1,MAXORD
      DO 340 K=0,J
      ASUM=(0.0,0.0)
      DO 350 I=1,NUMB
      ASUM=ASUM+TET(I,J,K)
350   CONTINUE
      A=FLOAT(NUMB)
      AA=CMPLX(A,0.0)
      T(J,K)=(ASUM)/(AA)
340   CONTINUE
330   CONTINUE
      RETURN
      END
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      SUBROUTINE PCMEM(M,MAXORD,T,FPE,P,ACINV,TAP,MINORD)
      COMPLEX T,TAP,AC,ACINV
      COMPLEX PHI,ASUM,PT,TM,TMTC,POW,CPW,TMP
      DIMENSION T(0:15,0:15),TAP(0:15)
      DIMENSION AC(0:15,0:15),ACINV(0:15,0:15)
      DIMENSION P(0:15),FPE(0:15),PHI(0:15)
      DIMENSION TM(0:15,0:15),TMTC(0:15,0:15),POW(0:15,0:15)
      DIMENSION TMP(0:15,0:15)
      FMIN=0.100E+20
      MINORD=0
      TAP(0)=(1.0,0.0)
      DO 500 M=1,MAXORD
      IF(FPE(M).GE.FMIN)GO TO 500
      FMIN=FPE(M)
      MINORD=M
      PMIN=P(M)
500   CONTINUE
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CGENERATION OF TAP COEFFICIENTS
              DO 520  I=1,MINORD
              PAP(I)=T(MINORD,I)
520           CONTINUE
C GENERATION OF COVARIANCE MATRIX
100           PHI(0)=CMPLX(P(0),0.0)
              DO 110  I=1,MINORD
              ASUM=(0.0,0.0)
              DO 120  K=1,J
              ASUM=ASUM-PHI(J-K)*T(J,K)
120           CONTINUE
              PHI(J)=ASUM
110           CONTINUE
              DO 130  J=MINORD+1,M-1
              ASUM=(0.0,0.0)
              DO 140  K=1,MINORD
              ASUM=ASUM-PHI(J-K)*T(MINORD,K)
140           CONTINUE
              PHI(J)=ASUM
130           CONTINUE
              TYPE *,(PHI(J),J=0,M-1)
              DO 150  J=0,M-1
              DO 160  K=0,J
              AC(J,K)=PHI(J-K)
160           CONTINUE
              IF(J.EQ.(M-1))GO TO 150
              DO 170  K=J+1,M-1
              PT=CONJG(PHI(K-J))
              AC(J,K)=PT
170           CONTINUE
150           CONTINUE
C GENERATION OF INVERSE COVARIANCE MATRIX
C FIRST GENERATE TM MATRIX
C FIRST INITIALISE TO ZERO
              DO 100  J=0,M-1
              DO 200  K=0,M-1
              TM(K,J)=(0.0,0.0)
200           CONTINUE
100           CONTINUE
C ACTUAL GENERATION OF TM MATRIX
              DO 210  J=0,M-1-MINORD
              DO 220  K=0,MINORD
              TM(K+J,J)=T(MINORD,K)
220           CONTINUE
210           CONTINUE
              T(0,0)=(1.0,0.0)
              NNN=MINORD
              DO 230  J=M-MINORD,M-1
              NNN=NNN-1
              DO 240  K=0,NNN
              TM(K+J,J)=T(NNN,K)
240           CONTINUE
230           CONTINUE
C GENERATE TMTC MATRIX
              DO 250  J=0,M-1
              DO 260  K=0,M-1
              TMTC(J,K)=CONJG(TM(K,J))
260           CONTINUE
250           CONTINUE
C GENERATION OF POWER(POW) MATRIX
              DO  270  J=0,M-1
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          DO 280 K=0,M-1
          PGJ(I,K)=(0.0,0.0)
280       CONTINUE
270       CONTINUE
          DO 290 J=0,M-1-MINORD
          CP=CMPLX(P(MINORD),0.0)
          PR(J,J)=(1.0,0.0)/CPW
290       CONTINUE
          J=M-MINORD
          DO 300 J=M-MINORD,M-1
          MUM=M-J-1
          CP=CMPLX(P(MUM),0.0)
          PGN(J,J)=(1.0,0.0)/CPW
300       CONTINUE
C   MATRIX MULTIPLICATION TO GIVE INVERSE COVARIANCE MATRIX TMP=TM*PGN
          DO 310 I=0,M-1
          DO 320 J=0,M-1
          TMP(I,J)=(0.0,0.0)
          DO 330 K=0,M-1
          TMP(I,J)=TMP(I,J)+TM(I,K)*PGN(K,J)
330       CONTINUE
320       CONTINUE
310       CONTINUE
C   ACINV=TMP*TMTC
          DO 340 I=0,M-1
          DO 350 J=0,M-1
          ACINV(I,J)=(0.0,0.0)
          DO 360 K=0,M-1
          ACINV(I,J)=ACINV(I,J)+TMP(I,K)*TMTC(K,J)
360       CONTINUE
350       CONTINUE
340       CONTINUE
C   OUTPUTTING RESULT OF MEM ANALYSIS
1085      TYPE 1090,MINORD,PMIN,FMIN,M
1090      FORMAT(1H ,'MINORD=',I2,5X,'PMIN=',E15.8,5X,'FMIN=',
     1    E15.8,5X,'NO OF HITS/SCAN=',I3)
          TYPE 1160
1100      FORMAT(1H ,'THE TAP COEFFICIENTS ARE')
          TYPE 1110,(TAP(J),J=0,MINORD)
1110      FORMAT(1H0,E15.8,5X,E15.8)
          TYPE 1130
1130      FORMAT(1H0,'THE T(N,K) MATRIX IS')
          DO 1140 J=0,MINORD
          TYPE 1020,(T(J,K),K=0,J)
1140      CONTINUE
1142      TYPE 1150,P(0)
1150      FORMAT(1H0,'P(0)=',E15.8)
          TYPE 1160
1160      FORMAT(1H0,'ORDER',20X,'FPE',20X,'P')
          DO 1066 J=1,MAXORD
          TYPE 1170,J,FPE(J),P(J)
1170      FORMAT(1H0,10X,I2,10X,E15.8,10X,E15.8)
1066      CONTINUE
          TYPE 1025
1025      FORMAT(1H0,'COVARIANCE MATRIX AC')
          DO 1030 J=0,M-1
          TYPE 1020,(AC(J,K),K=0,M-1)
1020      FORMAT(1H0,4(E12.5,3X,E12.5,5X))
1030      CONTINUE
          TYPE 1035
1035      FORMAT(1H0,'INVERSE COVARIANCE MATRIX ACINV')
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        DO 1040, J=0,M-1
        TYPE 1020,(ACTNV(J,K),K=0,M-1)
1040    CONTINUE
        TYPE 1015
1045    FORMAT(1H0,"MATRIX TM")
        DO 1050, J=0,M-1
        TYPE 1020,(TM(J,K),K=0,M-1)
1050    CONTINUE
        TYPE 1055
1055    FORMAT(1H0,"MATRIX TMTC")
        DO 1045, J=0,M-1
        TYPE 1020,(TMTC(J,K),K=0,M-1)
1045    CONTINUE
1500    RETURN
        END


        SUBROUTINE PCREA(ARCLUT,ACTNV,M,FP,PT,FD,NO,ARINT,ATARG)
        REAL NO
        COMPLEX ARCLUT,ACTNV,ATARG,U,V,AC,AD,TEMPA,TEMPB,TEMP
        COMPLEX ARINT,SUM,DELMF,DELGF,DELTH,ACTTM
        DIMENSION ARCLUT(0:15,0:15),ACTNV(0:15,0:15),ARINT(0:15,0:15)
        DIMENSION TEMP(0:15),ATARG(0:15,0:15),V(0:15),U(0:15)
        DIMENSION ACTTM(0:15,0:15),ATEMP(16,16),ALTEMP(16,16)
        DIMENSION NKAREA(350)
        PT=3.14159265
        NO=2.0*PT*FD
        AA=NO*FP
        DO 10 J=0,M-1
        AB=AA*FLOAT(J)
        AC=CMPLX(0.0,AB)
        U(J)=CEXP(AC)
10      CONTINUE
C       TYPE *,(U(J),J=0,M-1)
        DO 50 J=0,M-1
        AD=CMPLX(PT,0.0)
C       TYPE *,U(J)
        DO 60 K=0,J
        ATARG(J,K)=(U(J-K))*AD
60      CONTINUE
        IF(J.EQ.(M-1))GO TO 50
        DO 70 K=J+1,M-1
        ATARG(J,K)=CONJG(U(K-J))*AD
70      CONTINUE
50      CONTINUE
        DO 100 J=0,M-1
        DO 110 K=0,M-1
        ARINT(J,K)=ARCLUT(J,K)
110     CONTINUE
100     CONTINUE
        AD=CMPLX(NO,0.0)
        DO 120 JL=0,M-1
        ARINT(JL,JL)=ARCLUT(JL,JL)+AD
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120         CONTINUE
C           FOR MATCHED FILTER CALCULATIONS
            CALL AMALT(ATARG,U,TEMP,M)
            SUM=(0.0,0.0)
            DO 150 IT=0,M-1
            SUM=SUM+(TEMP(IT))*(CONJG(U(IT)))
150         CONTINUE
            TEMPA=SUM
            CALL AMALT(ARINT,U,TEMP,M)
            SUM=(0.0,0.0)
            DO 160 JJ=0,M-1
            SUM=SUM+TEMP(JJ)*(CONJG(U(JJ)))
160         CONTINUE
            TEMPB=SUM
            DELMF=TEMPA/TEMPB
            TYPE *,TEMPA,TEMPB
            TYPE 170,DELMF
170         FORMAT(1H0,'DELMF=',E15.8,10X,E15.8)
C           FOR ST. OPT RX. CALCULATIONS
            CALL AMALT(ACINV,U,V,M)
            CALL AMALT(ATARG,V,TEMP,M)
            SUM=(0.0,0.0)
            DO 210 J=0,M-1
            SUM=SUM+TEMP(J)*(CONJG(V(J)))
210         CONTINUE
            TEMPA=SUM
            CALL AMALT(ARINT,V,TEMP,M)
            SUM=(0.0,0.0)
            DO 220 J=0,M-1
            SUM=SUM+TEMP(J)*(CONJG(V(J)))
220         CONTINUE
            TEMPB=SUM
            DELOF=TEMPA/TEMPB
            TYPE *,TEMPA,TEMPB
            TYPE 230,DELOF
230         FORMAT(1H0,'DELOF=',E15.8,10X,E15.8)
            DO 300 J=0,M-1
            DO 310 K=0,M-1
            ATEMP(J+1,K+1)=REAL(ARINT(J,K))
310         CONTINUE
300         CONTINUE
            IDGT=0
            CALL LINV2F(ATEMP,M,M,ATTEMP,IDGT,WKAREA,IER)
            TYPE *,IDGT,IER
            DO 400 J=0,M-1
            DO 410 K=0,M-1
            ACTIN(J,K)=CMPLX(ATTEMP(J+1,K+1),0.0)
410         CONTINUE
400         CONTINUE
            CALL AMALT(ACTIN,U,V,M)
            CALL AMALT(ATARG,V,TEMP,M)
            SUM=(0.0,0.0)
            DO 250 J=0,M-1
            SUM=SUM+TEMP(J)*(CONJG(V(J)))
250         CONTINUE
            TEMPA=SUM
            CALL AMALT(ARINT,V,TEMP,M)
            SUM=(0.0,0.0)
            DO 260 J=0,M-1
            SUM=SUM+TEMP(J)*(CONJG(V(J)))
260         CONTINUE
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          DIMENSION
          DCT,F=TEMPA/TEMPB
          TYPE *, PEMDA,TEMPB
          TYPE 270,DELTH
270       FORMAT(1H0,'DELTH=',E15.8,10X,E15.8)
700       RETURN
          END
          SUBROUTINE AMALT(AMAT,VECT,RES,M)
          COMPLEX AMAT,VECT,RES,SUM
          DIMENSION AMAT(0:15,0:15),VECT(0:15),RES(0:15)
          DO 10 J=0,M-1
          SUM=(0.0,0.0)
          DO 20 K=0,M-1
          SUM=SUM+AMAT(J,K)*VECT(K)
20        CONTINUE
          RES(J)=SUM
10        CONTINUE
          RETURN
          END


          SUBROUTINE TOTMAT(ARINT,ATARG,ATOT,M)
          COMPLEX ARINT,ATARG,ATOT
          DIMENSION ARINT(0:15,0:15),ATARG(0:15,0:15),ATOT(0:15,0:15)
          DO 10 J=0,M-1
          DO 20 K=0,M-1
          ATOT(J,K)=ARINT(J,K)+ATARG(J,K)
20        CONTINUE
10        CONTINUE
          RETURN
          END


          SUBROUTINE PEREBA(ATOT,ARINT,M,ALAM,AMU,NLT)
          COMPLEX ATOT,DMTI,COMTI,ATEMP,BTEMP,ARINT,TMTI,TCMTI
          DIMENSION ATOT(0:15,0:15),ALAM(0:15),AMU(0:15),ARINT(0:15,0:15)
          DIMENSION DMTI(0:15,0:15),COMTI(0:15,0:15),ATEMP(0:15,0:15)
          DIMENSION BTEMP(0:15,0:15),TMTI(0:15,0:15)
C         PF AND PD FOR AN NTT RECEIVER SYSTEM
          NLT=14
          DO 30 J=0,M-1
          DO 40 K=0,M-1
          DMTI(J,K)=(0.0,0.0)
40        CONTINUE
30        CONTINUE
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            DMTI(0,0)=(1.0,0.0)
            DMTI(1,0)=(-2.0,0.0)
            DMTI(1,1)=(1.0,0.0)
            DMTI(2,0)=(1.0,0.0)
            DMTI(2,1)=(-2.0,0.0)
            DMTI(2,2)=(1.0,0.0)
            DO 50 J=3,K-1
            DO 60 K=J-2,J
            DMTI(J,K)=DMTI(J-1,K-1)
60          CONTINUE
50          CONTINUE
            DO 85 J=0,NLT-1
            DO 86 K=0,M-1
            FMTI(J,K)=DMTI(J+2,K)
86          CONTINUE
85          CONTINUE
            DO 87 J=0,NLT-1
            DO 88 K=0,M-1
            DMTI(J,K)=FMTI(J,K)
88          CONTINUE
87          CONTINUE
            DO 92 J=0,M-1
            DO 93 K=0,NLT-1
            CDMTI(J,K)=CONJG(DMTI(K,J))
93          CONTINUE
92          CONTINUE
C           FOR PF EIGENVALUES, BTEMP=DMTI*ARINT*CDMTI
            CALL TMULT(DMTI,ARINT,ATEMP,M,NLT,M)
            CALL TMULT(ATEMP,CDMTI,BTEMP,M,NLT,NLT)
            CALL FINDE(BTEMP,NLT,ALAM)
            TYPE 100
100         FORMAT(1H0,'EIGENVALUES FOR PF USING MTI RECEIVER SYSTEM ARE')
            TYPE *,(ALAM(J),J=0,NLT-1)
C           FOR PD EIGENVALUES,BTEMP=DMTI*ATOT*CDMTI
            CALL TMULT(DMTI,ATOT,ATEMP,M,NLT,M)
            CALL TMULT(ATEMP,CDMTI,BTEMP,M,NLT,NLT)
C           FIND EIGENVALUES OF BTEMP
            CALL FINDE(BTEMP,NLT,AMU)
            TYPE 200
200         FORMAT(1H0,'EIGENVALUES FOR PD USING MTI RECEIVER SYSTEM ARE')
            TYPE *,(AMU(J),J=0,NLT-1)
            RETURN
            END




            SUBROUTINE PERFBB(ATOT,ARINT,M,BLAM,BMU)
            COMPLEX ATOT,ARINT
            DIMENSION ATOT(0:15,0:15),BLAM(0:15),BMU(0:15),ARINT(0:15,0:15)
C           PF AND PD FOR A MATCHED FILTER RECEIVER
C           FOR PF FIND EIGENVALUES OF ARINT
            CALL FINDE(ARINT,M,BLAM)
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         TYPE 100
100      FORMAT(1H0,'EIGENVALUES FOR PF USING MATCHED FILTER RX ARE')
         TYPE *,(BLAM(J),J=0,M-1)
C        FOR PD FIND EIGENVALUES OF ATOT
         CALL FINOR(ATOT,M,BMU)
         TYPE 200
200      FORMAT(1H0,'EIGENVALUES FOR PD USING MATCHED FILTER RX ARE')
         TYPE *,(BMU(J),J=0,M-1)
         RETURN
         END


         SUBROUTINE PERFRC(ATOT,ARTNT,M,TAP,MINORD,CLAM,CMU,FLT,PD,PP)
         COMPLEX ATOT,ARTNT,TAP,ATEMP,BTEMP,CTEMP,DTEMP,RATI,VCNTI
         COMPLEX AC,UT,RT,SUM,ADEN,ANUM,DELSTR
         DIMENSION ATOT(0:15,0:15),APINT(0:15,0:15),TAP(0:15)
         DIMENSION CLAM(0:15),CMU(0:15),ATEMP(0:15,0:15)
         DIMENSION BTEMP(0:15,0:15),CTEMP(0:15,0:15),DTEMP(0:15,0:15)
         DIMENSION TMTT(0:15,0:15),UT(0:15),RT(0:15)
C        PF AND PD FOR STRUCTURED RECEIVER
         NLT=M-MINORD
         DO 10 J=0,M-1
         DO 20 K=0,M-1
         ATEMP(J,K)=(0.0,0.0)
20       CONTINUE
10       CONTINUE
         DO 30 J=0,MINORD
         DO 40 K=0,J
         I=J-K
         ATEMP(J,K)=TAP(I)
40       CONTINUE
30       CONTINUE
         DO 50 J=MINORD+1,M-1
         DO 60 K=J-MINORD,J
         ATEMP(J,K)=ATEMP(J-1,K-1)
60       CONTINUE
50       CONTINUE
         DO 85 J=0,NLT-1
         DO 86 K=0,M-1
         TMTT(J,K)=ATEMP(J+MINORD,K)
86       CONTINUE
85       CONTINUE
         DO 87 J=0,NLT-1
         DO 88 K=0,M-1
         ATEMP(J,K)=TMTT(J,K)
88       CONTINUE
87       CONTINUE
         DO 96 J=0,M-1
         DO 97 K=0,NLT-1
         BTEMP(J,K)=CONJG(ATEMP(K,J))
97       CONTINUE
96       CONTINUE
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C           FOR  PERF. OF THIS ST. RX WITH COHERENT DETECTION
            PI=3.14159265
            WD=2.0*PI*FD
            AA=WD*TD
            DO 610 J=0,NLT-1
            AB=AA*FLOAT(J)
            AC=CMPLX(0.0,AB)
            UT(J)=CEXP(AC)
610         CONTINUE
C           DTEMP=ATEMP*ARINT*BTEMP
            CALL TMULT(ATEMP,ARINT,CTEMP,M,NLT,M)
            CALL TMULT(CTEMP,BTEMP,DTEMP,M,NLT,NLT)
            CALL VECT(DTEMP,UT,RT,NLT)
            SUM=(0.0,0.0)
            DO 620 J=0,NLT-1
            SUM=SUM+RT(J)*(CONJG(UT(J)))
620         CONTINUE
            ADEN=SUM
C           FIND EIGENVALUES OF DTEMP. FOR PF
            CALL FINDE(DTEMP,NLT,CLAM)
            TYPE 100
100         FORMAT(1H0,'EIGENVALUES FOR PF USING STRUCTURED RECEIVER ARE')
            TYPE *,(CLAM(J),J=0,NLT-1)
C           DTEMP=ATEMP*ATOT*BTEMP
            CALL TMULT(ATEMP,ATOT,CTEMP,M,NLT,M)
            CALL TMULT(CTEMP,BTEMP,DTEMP,M,NLT,NLT)
            CALL VECT(DTEMP,UT,RT,NLT)
            SUM=(0.0,0.0)
            DO 630 J=0,NLT-1
            SUM=SUM+RT(J)*(CONJG(UT(J)))
630         CONTINUE
            ANUM=SUM
C           FIND EIGENVALUES OF DTEMP. FOR PD
            CALL FINDE(DTEMP,NLT,CMU)
            TYPE 200
200         FORMAT(1H0,'EIGENVALUES FOR PD USING STRUCTURED RECEIVER ARE')
            TYPE*,(CMU(J),J=0,NLT-1)
            DELSTM=(ANUM-ADEN)/ADEN
            TYPE *,ANUM,ADEN
            TYPE 642,DELSTM
642         FORMAT(1H0,'DELSTM=',E15.8,10X,E15.8)
            RETURN
            END



            SUBROUTINE PERFTA(ATOT,ARINT,M,ALAM,AMU)
            COMPLEX ATOT,DMTI,CDMTI,ATEMP,DTEMP,ARINT
            DIMENSION ATOT(0:15,0:15),ALAM(0:15),AMU(0:15),ARINT(0:15,0:15)
            DIMENSION DMTI(0:15,0:15),CDMTI(0:15,0:15),ATEMP(0:15,0:15)
            DIMENSION BTEMP(0:15,0:15)
C           PF AND PD FOR AN MTI RECEIVER SYSTEM
            DO 30 J=0,M-1
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        DO 40 K=0, J-1
        DMTI(J,K)=(0,0,0,0)
40      CONTINUE
30      CONTINUE
        DMTI(0,0)=(1,0,0,0)
        DMTI(1,0)=(-2,0,0,0)
        DMTI(1,1)=(1,0,0,0)
        DMTI(2,0)=(1,0,0,0)
        DMTI(2,1)=(-2,0,0,0)
        DMTI(2,2)=(1,0,0,0)
        DO 50 J=3,M-1
        DO 60 K=J-2,J
        DMTI(J,K)=DMTI(J-1,K-1)
60      CONTINUE
50      CONTINUE
        DO 70 J=0,M-1
        DO 80 K=0,M-1
        CDMTI(J,K)=CONJG(DMTI(K,J))
80      CONTINUE
70      CONTINUE
C       FOR PF EIGENVALUES, BTEMP=DMTI*ARINT*CDMTI
        CALL TMULT(DMTI,ARINT,ATEMP,M,M,M)
        CALL TMULT(ATEMP,CDMTI,BTEMP,M,M,M)
C       FIND EIGENVALUES OF BTEMP
        CALL FINDE(BTEMP,M,ALAM)
        TYPE 100
100     FORMAT(1H0,'EIGENVALUES FOR PF USING MTI RECEIVER SYSTEM ARE')
        TYPE *,(ALAM(J),J=0,M-1)
C       FOR PD EIGENVALUES, BTEMP=DMTI*ATOT*CDMTI
        CALL TMULT(DMTI,ATOT,ATEMP,M,M,M)
        CALL TMULT(ATEMP,CDMTI,BTEMP,M,M,M)
C       FIND EIGENVALUES OF BTEMP
        CALL FINDE(BTEMP,M,AMU)
        TYPE 200
200     FORMAT(1H0,'EIGENVALUES FOR PD USING MTI RECEIVER SYSTEM ARE')
        TYPE *,(AMU(J),J=0,M-1)
        RETURN
        END


        SUBROUTINE PERETC(ATOT,ARINT,M,TAP,MTNORD,CLAM,CMU,PD,PF)
        COMPLEX ATOT,ARINT,TAP,ACEMP,BTEMP,CTEMP,DTEMP
        COMPLEX AC,AD,SUM,UT,RT,ADEE,AGGA,DELST
        DIMENSION ATOT(0:15,0:15),ARINT(0:15,0:15),TAP(0:15)
        DIMENSION CLAM(0:15),CMU(0:15),ATEMP(0:15,0:15)
        DIMENSION BTEMP(0:15,0:15),CTEMP(0:15,0:15),DTEMP(0:15,0:15)
        DIMENSION AD(0:15),UT(0:15),RT(0:15)
C       PF AND PD FOR STRUCTURED RECEIVER
        DO 10 J=0,M-1
        DO 20 K=0,M-1
        ATEMP(J,K)=(0,0,0,0)
20      CONTINUE
10      CONTINUE
        DO 30 J=0,MTNORD
        DO 40 K=0,J
        I=J-K
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          ATEMP(J,K)=TAP(I)
40        CONTINUE
30        CONTINUE
          DO 50 J=MINORD+1,M-1
          DO 60 K=J-MINORD,J
          ATEMP(J,K)=ATEMP(J-1,K-1)
60        CONTINUE
50        CONTINUE
          DO 70 J=0,M-1
          DO 80 K=0,M-1
          BTEMP(J,K)=CONJG(ATEMP(K,J))
80        CONTINUE
70        CONTINUE
C         FOR  PFPF, OF THIS SE. RX WITH COHERENT DETECTION
          PI=3.14159265
          WD=2.0*PI*FD
          AA=WD*TP
          DO 710 J=0,MINORD
          AB=AA*FLOAT(J)
          AC=CMPLX(0.0,AB)
          AD(J)=CEXP(AC)
710       CONTINUE
          DO 720 J=0,M-1
          IF(J.GT.MINORD)GO TO 715
          SUM=(0.0,0.0)
          DO 730 K=0,J
          SUM=SUM+TAP(K)*AD(J-K)
730       CONTINUE
          UT(J)=SUM
          GO TO 720
715       AB=AA*FLOAT(J-MINORD)
          AC=CMPLX(0.0,AB)
          UT(J)=(CEXP(AC))*(UT(MINORD))
720       CONTINUE
C         DTEMP=ATEMP*ARINT*BTEMP
          CALL TMULT(ATEMP,ARINT,CTEMP,M,M,M)
          CALL TMULT(CTEMP,BTEMP,DTEMP,M,M,M)
          CALL VECT(DTEMP,UT,RT,M)
          SUM=(0.0,0.0)
          DO 760 J=0,M-1
          SUM=SUM+RT(J)*(CONJG(UT(J)))
760       CONTINUE
          ALPH=SUM
C         FIND EIGENVALUES OF DTEMP. FOR PF
          CALL FINDE(DTEMP,M,CLAM)
          TYPE 100
100       FORMAT(1H0,'EIGENVALUES FOR PF USING STRUCTURED RECEIVER ARE')
          TYPE *,(CLAM(J),J=0,M-1)
C         DTEMP=ATEMP*ATOT*BTEMP
          CALL TMULT(ATEMP,ATOT,CTEMP,M,M,M)
          CALL TMULT(CTEMP,BTEMP,DTEMP,M,M,M)
          CALL VECT(DTEMP,UT,RT,M)
          SUM=(0.0,0.0)
          DO 780 J=0,M-1
          SUM=SUM+RT(J)*(CONJG(UT(J)))
780       CONTINUE
          ANUM=SUM
C         FIND EIGENVALUES OF DTEMP. FOR PD
          CALL FINDE(DTEMP,M,CMU)
          TYPE 200
200       FORMAT(1H0,'EIGENVALUES FOR PD USING STRUCTURED RECEIVER ARE')
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          TYPE*,(CU(J),J=0,M-1)
          DELST=(ALHA-ADEM)/ADEM
          TYPE *,ALHA,ADEM
          TYPE 820,DELST
820       FORMAT(1H0,'DELST=',E15.8,10X,E15.8)
          RETURN
          END
          SUBROUTINE PMULT(AT,BT,CT,M,ILT,MLX)
          COMPLEX AT,BT,CT
          DIMENSION AT(0:15,0:15),BT(0:15,0:15),CT(0:15,0:15)
          DO 10 I=0,ILT-1
          DO 20 J=0,MLX-1
          CT(I,J)=(0.0,0.0)
          DO 30 K=0,M-1
          CT(I,J)=CT(I,J)+AT(I,K)*BT(K,J)
30        CONTINUE
20        CONTINUE
10        CONTINUE
          RETURN
          END
          SUBROUTINE FINDE(BTEMP,M,TLAM)
          COMPLEX BTEMP,XTEMP,VTEMP,XLAM
          DIMENSION XTEMP(16,16),VTEMP(16,16),XLAM(16)
          DIMENSION BTEMP(0:15,0:15),WK(600),TLAM(0:15)
          NCN=M
          IJOB=0
          IZ=16
          DO 10 J=0,M-1
          DO 20 K=0,M-1
          JJ=J+1
          KK=K+1
          XTEMP(JJ,KK)=BTEMP(J,K)
20        CONTINUE
10        CONTINUE
          CALL EIGCC(XTEMP,NCN,IZ,IJOB,XLAM,VTEMP,IZ,WK,IER)
          DO 30 J=0,M-1
          TLAM(J)=REAL(XLAM(J+1))
30        CONTINUE
          RETURN
          END
          SUBROUTINE VECT(AT,BT,CT,M)
          COMPLEX AT,BT,CT,SUM
          DIMENSION AT(0:15,0:15),BT(0:15),CT(0:15)
          DO 10 J=0,M-1
          SUM=(0.0,0.0)
          DO 20 K=0,M-1
          SUM=SUM+AT(J,K)*BT(K)
20        CONTINUE
          CT(J)=SUM
10        CONTINUE
          RETURN
          END
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      SUBROUTINE PROD(ALAM,AMU,CLAM,CMU,PLTA,NLTB,NL,VT)
      DOUBLE PRECISION XLAM,XMU,YLAM,YMU,PFA,PDA,PFB,PDB,TEMP,VT
      DIMENSION XLAM(0:15),XMU(0:15),YLAM(0:15),YMU(0:15)
      DIMENSION PFA(100),PDA(100),PFB(100),PDB(100),TEMP(0:15),VT(100)
      DIMENSION ALAM(0:15),AMU(0:15),CLAM(0:15),CMU(0:15)
      M=16
      DO 990 J=0,15
      XLAM(J)=ALAM(J)
      XMU(J)=AMU(J)
      YLAM(J)=CLAM(J)
      YMU(J)=CMU(J)
990   CONTINUE
C     FOR PF OF MTI RECEIVER
      CALL PROD(XLAM,TEMP,NLTA)
      CALL CALC(YLAM,VT,TEMP,PFA,NLTA,NL)
C     FOR PD OF MTI RECEIVER
      CALL PROD(XMU,TEMP,NLTA)
      CALL CALC(XMU,VT,TEMP,PDA,NLTA,NL)
C     FOR PF OF STRUCTURED RECEIVER
      CALL PROD(YLAM,TEMP,NLTB)
      CALL CALC(YLAM,VT,TEMP,PFB,NLTB,NL)
C     FOR PD OF STRUCTURED RECEIVER
      CALL PROD(YMU,TEMP,NLTB)
      CALL CALC(YMU,VT,TEMP,PDB,NLTB,NL)
      TYPE 100
100   FORMAT(1H0,10X,'VT',20X,'PF(MTI)',15X,'PD(MTI)',15X,'PF(ST)',15X
     &,'PD(ST)')
      DO 60 J=1,NL
      TYPE 200,VT(J),PFA(J),PDA(J),PFB(J),PDB(J)
200   FORMAT(1H0,5X,5(D15.6,5X))
60    CONTINUE
      RETURN
      END
      SUBROUTINE PROD(ALAM,TEMP,M)
      DOUBLE PRECISION ALAM,TEMP,ATEMP,AL,BL
      DIMENSION ALAM(0:15),TEMP(0:15)
      DO 10 J=0,M-1
      ATEMP=1.0
      DO 20 K=0,M-1
      IF(K.EQ.J)GO TO 20
      AL=ALAM(K)/ALAM(J)
      BL=1.0-AL
      ATEMP=ATEMP*BL
20    CONTINUE
      TEMP(J)=ATEMP
10    CONTINUE
      RETURN
      END
      SUBROUTINE CALC(XM,VT,TEMP,PR,M,NL)
      DOUBLE PRECISION XM,VT,TEMP,PR,ATEMP,AL,BL,CL
      DIMENSION XM(0:15),TEMP(0:15),VT(100),PR(100),BL(0:15),CL(0:15)
      DO 10 K=1,NL
      ATEMP=0.0
      DO 20 J=0,M-1
      AL=-(VT(K)/XM(J))
      BL(J)=DEXP(AL)/TEMP(J)
20    CONTINUE
      DO 30 J=0,14,2
      CL(J)=BL(J)+BL(J+1)
30    CONTINUE
      DO 40 J=0,12,4
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          AL(J)=CL(J)+CL(J+2)
          CONTINUE
40        DO 50 J=6,8,8
          CL(J)=AL(J)+AL(J+4)
50        CONTINUE
          ATEMP=CL(6)+CL(8)
          DU(K)=ATEMP
60        CONTINUE
          RETURN
          END
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